id from the doors tracks and eet car improvements will be ansfer house is a substanbut it is also a pretty one ment to the square. Paswant to wait for a car can ves as pleasant and comthey were in their own

outside. A cement walk

morrow night everyone will on the street cars free of e place will be opened for of the public. One dollar y tickets to morrow night adies and clerks chould of this opportunity to get

3 cents a trip and lay in a of building the brick founport the sidewalk around uilding is progressing raprk is more than half done.

Stine has completed the andsome nine room house Smallwood will erect at ere are quite a number of which will be built in the

eat work digging the foun-Shlaudeman hotel which ed on the three cornered lot ection of Front and streets. s is remodeling a house in on West William street. raised and another story The work is in charge of

or of the Gallagher block is ed for a lodge room, and eted will be quite a hand-There will be a large lodge ront, a banquet hall in the assing rooms and closets be-

wspaper History. Barber, who has read the

lic and its predecessor since ie following history of that 1856 the Republicans of this red 1. N Coltrin to estabstral Transcript. In 1862 out to DeLevis & Morrison, Public. They chauged the Clinton Public. In 1870 s was appointed Deputy s Marshal, and the paper Beorge B. Richardson, who t to Richard Butler. Hon. and Col. John Warner aided tablish the paper and have ous subscribers. I also unt Mr. Moore has a complete paper. Hon. V. Warner, worked in the office of the and has also probably been s reader." Mr. Coltrin is been since 1867, a composi-

catur Republican office. 4 Good Chance.

o get a supply of street car tawhile and at a low price Friday night by the street . That night balv, thirty e sold for \$1. Cierks, office ional men and calculadies a note of this opportunity.

Mrs. E. L. Harris, of 1345 treet, on February 18, s

Mrs. Charles Miller, os n street, on Wednesday,

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FITZ-MAHER FIGHT.

Texas.

Train Which Left El Paso at Midnight Delayed-Will Reach Langtry, Three-Fourths of a Mile From Battleground at 3:30 P. M.

fight train on the Southern Pacific is private lands; by Klemmer, regulating reported two hours late. It will not building and loan associations. The reach Langtry before 2:30 p. m. It is house refused to concur in the senate supposed the party will then cross the resolution to shut off the introduction

TABER, Texas, Feb. 21.—The prize fight train reached here two hours late, and will not reach Langtry before 3:30 p. m. It is extremely doubtful whether p. m. It is extremely doubtful whether arrangements can be pertected to pull off the fight before dark, in which case it may be postponed till early to-morrow morning.

SAR ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 21.—The prize fight train is due at Langtry between 3 and 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The ring is pitched in Coahuila, Mexico, the Smiths.

The defence was not permitted to in.

Corbett Challenges the Winner in To-Day's Battle.

CHEAGO, Feb. 20. -James J. Corbett, who is playing an engagement in this city this afternoon sent two telegrams to El Paso. It will be noticed that Corbett signs himself "Champion of the World.'

The dispatch to Fitzsimmons reads: "If you win to-morrow, show the American public that you were not afraid to fight me. I will meet you in Chicago any day between March 1 and : 6, and will make a match for money or simply for a purse, the fight to take place anywhere on earth. You will you put me out of the way. I will expect an answer to this if you win. [Signed] JAMES J. CORBETT.

Champion of the World." The following was sent Maher:

"If you beat Fitzsimmons to-morrow, show the world you mean what you say—that you will not take the championship without fighting for it. I will meet you here in Chicago any day between March 1 and 6, and will make a match for money or simply a purse, the fight to take place anywhere on earth. Now. Peter, come on here, like a man, and we will have no trouble agreeing to terms. Hoping that you beat that big coward, I am yours truly, JAMES J. CORBETT, "Champion of the World."

Done in the House To-Day. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—In the point was not whether Waller was guilty, house to day the senate amendment to but whether our government had a the military academy appropriation bill was concurred in. The senate bill to amend the revised statutes relative to ted the evidence to the United States to the converge of the tree. the power of the secretary of the trea-sury to remit or mitigate penalties and forfeitures was passed; also the senate bill relating to the final proof in timber

tion to investigate the action of Secretary Carliele in refusing to accept the bid of William Graves for four and a half millions of bonds at 1151a.

HAVARA, Feb. 21 —Additional particulars from Jarruco state that after an engagement Tuesday the Spaniards pur-eued the insurgents until nightfall, when they came upon the main body of Antonio Macco's troops. The Spaniards charged them three times. The enemy. having taken up an advangeous position at Catalina, were finally driven with heavy loss. They carried away two hundred wounded. Fifty Spanish sol-

Debs' Whereabouts.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 21.—Eugene V. Debs is here. He says it is not true that he has accepted the Populist nomination for governor of Indiana as re ported from Southbend. He said some of his friends were anxious for him to be candidate but he has refused.

Danville to Purchase Bloodhounds DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 21.—The Danville city council last night passed a resolution to purchase two firstclass bloodhounds to nelp run down the criminals

that have infested the city. Smbassad or Runyan's Bedy. New York, Feb. 21.—The body of Theodore Runvan, late embassador Germany, arrived by steamer to-day. It will lie in state in St. Paul's Methodist church, New York, until the day of the

Blisserd Raging in New York. Lyons, N. Y., Feb 21.—The blizzard is still raging here without signs of abating Raffroads are either blocked or running only personger and fast trains with two engines each.

The Valean Mine Disaster. New Castle, Col., Feb. 20.—The presence of poisonous gases in the Vulcan mine has prevented the recovery of any more bodies.

No Senator Yet. joint ballot to day.

THE IOWA ASSEMBLY.

Bills Introduced and Bills Passed.

The Battle Will Be Fought in Mexico, Near Langtry.

Des Moines, Feb. 21.—In the senate to-day bills were introduced by Berry reducing interest rate on executions, where stay is Lecured, to 8 per cent; by Blanchard, aboushing increase above contract rate where stay of execution is secured; by Hurst, allowing hunters for THE RING HAS BEEN PITCHED IN FORM | game on which county is offered to enter private lands; by Cheshire, prohibiting the printing and distribu-tion of obscene literature. Blanchard's anti-insurance combine bull has passed giving the auditor authority to revoke permission to do business in the state of any insurance companies that allow agents to make combinations with forms will result. der of the session was spent in consideration of the primary election bill.

EL Paso, Tex., Feb. 21.—The prize By Doubleday, for drainage roads over supposed the party will then cross the Rio Grande river into the state of Coahula, Mexico, and the ring will be pitched at the foot of the Mosquito mountains. The region is very inac cessible to Mexican troops.

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Sanderson, Texas, Feb. 21.—The prize fight train reached here at 11:15, two

Pekin, Ill., Feb. 21.—Dense crowds throng the court room in Pekin to hear

The defense was not permitted to introduce as evidence remote threats by the murdered man, but this afternoon the murdered man, but this afternoon the daughter of the defendants was permitted to tell of a threat that Lewis Perrall had male on the morning of the tragedy. Perrall had said: "To night I will kill that ———," meaning Smith, "and yes, by —, I will kill the whole family." The daughter heard Perrall make this threat, and communicated to her father, who took two guns, went and met Perrall and shot hunt. The daugh-ter testified that Mrs. Sciith rendered no assistance in the killing, and her tes-timony, which is the most vital of the trial, may result in the jury acquitting

During the testimony of the daughter never be considered champion until a remarkable fact was brought to light.

von put me out of the way. I will exgiant physically, had jumped from his buggy after being shot through the heart with a rifle ball and ran 50 feet

Ex Consul Walter is Free.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—A cable-gram from Ambassador Eustis at Paris this morning announces that Waller, exconsul to Madagascar, will be released from prison to day.
Ambassador Eustis has been author-

ized to provide him transportation to the United States. He has been in prison reason to be gratified at the outcome of the case, which, as revealed by correspondence, came nearer than the public is aware, at one time, of leading to sev-

FAIRFIELD, Ill., Feb. 21.—The Wayne county Republican committee met here yesterday and selected March 14 as the date of the county convention for the purpose of nominating a county ticket and selecting delegates to the state, con-gressional and senatorial conventions. A resolution was unanimously passed by the committee indorsing McKinley for president, Tanner for governor, Mason for United States senators S. C. Jordan. of this county, for state senator, and Major Nathan Crews, also of this county, for delegate to the national convention. This action will, in probability, be indorsed by the county convention.

Fifteenth Congressional District. WARSAW, Ill., Feb. 21.- The Republi can congressional convention for the Fifteenth District will be held at Bush nell, April 24, and Congressman B. F. Marsh will be renominated without opposition. At the same place and on the me date will be held the district convention to name delegates to the Republican National Convention. The senti-ment of the district seems to be very

largely in favor of McKinley. McKinley Delegation Prumised. Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—A. J. Bowles, of Perry, Okla., has sent a printed pamphlet to every member of the house, in which he states that it is the intention of the Republicans of the Territory to send a Republican delega-tion to St. Louis, because the McKinley votes are needed for the free homes

not oppose the bill. A Selentific Expedition to Visit Labrado PHILADEGPHIA, Feb. 21.-An expedition bound for the interior of Labrador will leave Philadelphia in June for the purpose of studying the Esquimaux and collecting specimens of the flora and fauns of that region. Prof. Frank Russell, curator of the Univer-

To Extend the Mineral Land Laws. WASHINGTON, Keb. 21 .- The president has signed the met to extend the min-FRANKFORT, Kv., Feb. 21.—There was eral land laws of the United States to no choice for Un ted States senator on lands embraced in the morth half of the Colville Indian reservation.

sity of lowa, accompanies the expedi-

tion as archeologist.

Kreuger Caring for the Distressed. JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 21.—The latest estimates place the number of deaths

from the explosion at Viedendorp at 120. About 400, more or less, were seriously wounded. Whole families were wiped out. President Krueger was chosen out. President Krueger was chosen president of the relief committee and is directing the work of sheltering the housand who are homoless and clearing

away the wreckage.

Over a half million dollars subscriptions has already been received. In the common calamity the feeling between the Boers and Utilanders are very much ameliorated and the remarks of President Krueger on his arrival here, lead to the heliof that remarks are very lead to the belief that many long demanded re-

Weather This Afternoon and Saturday CHICAGO. Feb. 21.—Illinois: Fair to night, warmer; increasing cloudiness, warmer Saturday; probably snow flur-ries Saturday afternoon; winds shifting

southeast.

Iowa: Fair, warmer to-night; warmer and probably snow flurries Saturday; southerly winds.

Wisconsin: Fair, warmer to-night; increasing cloudiness; warmer Saturday; southerly winds.
South Dakota: Same as Wisconsin. South Dakota: Same as wiscousin. Nebraska: Fair to night; Saturday

Child Murderer Hanged

Bosrov, Feb. 21 —Angue Gilbert was hanged in jail this morning for the murder of little Alice Sterling, daughter of a barber whose shop Gilbert frequented, last April. He petted the child till she last April. He petted the culid was became fond of him and on the day of became fond of him and on the day of became fond of him and on the day of by one the counsel for the defense are the murder took her walking. She forging the lings in the chain of circum-never returned home alive. Three days stances by which they hope to establish self defence and justification in the kill-beneath a stable, in which Gilbert had a room, showing evidence of brutal treatment and with the head hacked

The French Crisis.

Thrown From His Horse and Killed, zen stiff when found

French Senate Stand Pat.

Paris, Feb. 21 .-- The senate by a vote of 184 to 60 adopted a motion protesting against what it characterizes as a viola tion of its constitutional rights. A moproposal submitted by the cabinet.

Over \$100,000,000 in Gold Reserve. nearly a year, and is entirely destitute. Washington, Feb. 21.—For the first time since September 7, 1895, the gold reserve to-day passed the one hundred million dollar point; approximately one hundred and four million dollars. The total gold so far received on account of erance of diplomatic relations between the bond purchases is sixty-five million, the United States and France. The five hundred thousand dollars.

> Son of Chief Justice Waite Dies. COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 21.—C. C. Waite, president of Columbus and Hocking Valley and Toledo railroads, died this morning in a private car in the Columbus yard of pneumonia complicated with heart trouble. He was the son of the late Chief Justice Waite.

Killed by a Train.

They belonged to prominent families. Killed the Girl He Loved and Himself.

CRAMER, Pa., Feb. 21.—Daniel Ressler shot and fatally wounded his cousin, Ella Ressler, aged 18, this morning, and then committed suicide by shooting. The tragedy is the result of the refusal of the girl to marry him.

Two Couples Wedded.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Ill., Feb. 21.—Charles T. Powell and Miss Clara Jolly, both of Waverly, and Rusben E. Cline and Miss Julia B. Powers, both of Meredoeia, were married here yesterday after-

Killed His Father.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 21.—E. R. Campbell, ex-clerk of the United States circuit court, was shot and killed by his son, Robert. Young Campbell has been regarded as mentally unsound for some time.

Dynamite in Havana.

HAVANA, Feb. 21.-Last night an in fernal machine was found near the

Donation of \$10,000.

bill. He says that Speaker Reed dare 000 for an endowment for the college.

New York Bank Statement. New York, Feb. 21.-The bank statement shows a reserve decrease. \$8,191-825. The banks hold \$28,627,000 in ex cess legal requirements.

South African company.

Bank Robbed of \$3.500. LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 21.—The bank The announcement was made that at McLouth was burglarized last night Mayor Swift had appointed 80 of the aministure wax figure of a man with a of \$3,500 cash. The burglars escaped. . most prominent Chicago bankers,

CHICAGO-SOUTHERN.

The Proposed Exposition Both Feasible and Desirable.

HARMONIOUS MEETING YESTERDAY.

At Which an Advisory Committee was Appointed and All Plans Perfected-A Day of Labor Followed by a Night of Merrymaking.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.-The deliberations of the special committee delayed the calling to order, yesterday morning at the Palmer house, of the Chicago-Southern States Delegate convention, but when the report was ready the 150 delegates quickly settled down to business H. N. Higginbotham. president ville in 1897, made a plea for help from of the World's fair directory, was the sister stages and said it was incalled into conference with the comtended to send the exhibits to Chicago mittee in an advisory capacity, and the great mercantile interests which he represents will be actively brought to bear in favor of the exposition enter-

The report of the committee declared in favor of the exposition as follows:

"It is the sense of this meeting that it

Southern States exposition in Chicago "That the name of the exposition

shall be known as the Southern States Exposition Co. of Chicago.

"That the southern states pledge

themselves to provide exhibits from their respective states and to deliver them free of cost at the exposition The French Crists.

Paris, Feb. 21.—The general opinion is that a political crisis is rendered more acute by the vote of confidence passed yesterday by the house of deputies. It is generally expected the senate will persist in its resistance causing further thanks.

The Crists.

building, to be provided by Chicago, and to install the same in said building under the direction of the Chicago organization; and that they will remove said exhibits from the building within 15 days after the close of the exposition; and that the said southern states shall building, to be provided by Chicago, and trouble. In some quarters, however, it is thought the senate will yield, lest undo all the necessary work of der the revision of the constitution that promotion and advertising in the body will be abolished.

promotion and advertising in the southern states: that Chicago shall furnish a suitable building with such CENTRALIA, Ill., Feb. 21.—The lifeless body of Elmer Murray. a young farmer residing in Tennessee Prairie, was found in the road near his home this morning the attended church in the evening at Walnut Hill, and is supposed to have been thrown from his horse. His head was badly crushed. His body was frozen stiff when found. space as may be needed, up to 107,000 square feet of surface, and as much that the administration and financial management of the exposition shall be under the control of the Chicago organization."

The reading of that section which decided the exposition should be held was received with applause; but there to suspend its legislative existence, and therefore will continue to examine any administration and financial manageadministration and financial manage-ment being exclusively under the control of the Chicago organization. There was a spirited discussion of an amendment of Editor Hemphill, of South Carolina, providing for an advisory board, to consist of one person from each southern state represented or the chairman of state delegations. to co-operate with the Chicago man-The friction was finally removed by the withdrawal of the amendment and the report was then

adopted unanimously as presented.

The following resolution, presented by the Chicago delegates, was then adopted:

Resolved, That the Chicago delegation is this convention recommend that a provisional committee of 40 or more to be appointed by the WINCHESTER, Ky., Feb. 21.—This Exposition Co. of Chicago," and to secure submorning near Tabb's station a train ran into a buggy containing Richard and John Steele, brothers. The vehicle was damplished and both men were killed. ele ted by the stockholders of the company to be so organized the duties of said provisions umittee shall cease.

Col. Hemphill's resolution providing for the appointment of an advisory committee of one from each southern state, to be named by the delegations, to confer with the Chicago managers in regard to all exposition matters. was again presented to the convention and adopted.

Ex-Gov. Bnllock, of Georgia, favored the naming of an advisory committee, because it was in the direction of state rights, a plan for independent state action, rather than co-operative southern action.

Tennessee and Georgia delegates spoke in favor of making the exposi-tion a permanent one, and objected to the requirement that the exhibits should be removed in fifteen days.

W. A. Giles, chair man of the tem porary Chicago committee, said it was remature to discuss the question of making the caposition permanent Golden Eagle cigar factory, which, problem to decided better if there ably, belongs to the long-expected demwas a surplus after the debts of the onstration of the insurgents inside the show had been paid, and the Chicago promoters were not disposed to as same any obligations in that direc

EUREKA, Ill., Feb. 21.—J. H. Hardin, president of Eureka College, announces that T. J. Underwood, of Sangamon nounced that their state would be repounty, has donated \$10,000 toward \$100, resented by a million spindles and deresented by a million spindles and defied any other cotton state to best

A resolution was adopted naming Chairman Walsh, who is general manager of the Southern Associated Press as the best man to give the enterprise London, Feb 21.—Earl Gray has been appointed to administrator with Cecil Rhodes of the territory of the British South African company. aition no money would be needed to conduct the department of publicity and promotion.

merchants, lawyers, namufacturers, capitalists, newspaper publishers, rail-road men and others in commercial pursuits as member of the committee, according to the provisions of the res olution on Chicago organization.

It was decided to adjourn until 2:30 o'c ock to give the de egations an opportunity to decide on their advisory board members.

When the convention reassambled

the following delegates were presented as advisory committee members from their respective states:

Alabama, T. S. Palmer; Florida, W. A. Simmons; Georgia, C. A. Colher; Kentucky, W. T. Rolph; Louisiana, Morris Schwabacher; Mississippi, W. W. Stone; Mazyland, Fred Brackett; North Carolina, W. J. Andrew: South Carolina, E. L. Roch; Tennessee, John W. Thomas; fexas, George P. Seiss.
Chairman Walsh was chosen a mearber-at-large of the committee.
J. P. McBewell, representing the

centenuial exposition to be held in Sauleat the close for permanent exhibition.

There was & discussion as to the best time to open the exposition, the senti-ment of delegates from agricultural communities being that it would be unpossible to get such exhibits ready before September. The time for opening and closing the exposition was is feasible and desirable to hold a finally left to the Chicago managers and the advisory committee.

Before adjourning sine die Chairman Walsh, in a happy speech congratus go to Detroit, Mich. where he is to lated the delegates on the success of the convention, which had exceeded ion university on the subject of his most sanguine expectations, and presented the golden opportunity for the south to show its great possibilities for future development, its illimitable resources and natural advantages under favorable conditions. He impressed on the southerners that Chicago had done her part, and the

responsibility was now on the south.

Three lusty cheers were given for the American flag and when Gov. Hul-of lock called out: "Now the rebel yell," that was also given with a will three times. With these exercises the con-

vention came to an end. This evening the delegates were entertained at the First Regiment armory by the union league club, the Chicago committee and the officers of the first regiment. There was a military and civic reception, a funcy drill by the regiment, a dance and feasting untilia late hour.

One Boy Shot by Another.

HILLSBORO, Ill., Feb. 21.—Charles Cowell, aged 7, was shot in the head and seriously wounded here last night by Elmer Cranfill, aged 12. The Cranfill boy has not yet been arrested.

Union Depot in Flames.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 21.—Fire started in the Worcester division of the Union depot at midnight to-night and the prospects are that it will be burned to the ground. The damage cannot be estimated at this writing.

School Indomnity Selections Approved: Washington, Feb 21 .- The secretary of the interior has approved school indemnity selections embracing 15,735 acres inuring to the state of Minnesota. They are in the Marshal. St. Cloud and Duluth land districts. Four More Bodies Taken from the New.

DENVER, Col., Feb. 21.—Four more bodies were taken from the Newcastle mine yesterday afternoon. One was ned. The oth Italians.

William Waldorf Astor Sued. NEW YORK, Feb. 21.-A cable to the

Times says Lady Henry Somerset is suing William Waldorf Astor for \$25 .-000 damages for an alleged libellous the editorship of Cust, fecently re-

For Connection with the Pat Bren Marder.

SALEM, Ill., Feb. 21.-A sensation has been created here by the arrest, by Coroner Lakin, at Kinmundy, of Miss Myrtle Farman and James Hicks, in connection with the recent Pat Brennon murder.

The "Greater New York" Question ALMANY, N. Y., Feb. 21 .-- The committee which has investigated the greater New York question, yesterday ported in favor of the consolidation of New York, Brooklyn and Long Isand city, and suggested a commission to prepare a charter. The consolida-

tion is to take effect January 1, 1898.

Terrible Explosion of a Lecemetive. CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 21.-The oiler of a freight engine on the Nashville. Chattanooga & St. Louis railway exploded yesterday afternoon near Bridgeport, Ala., 26 miles from here, playing fearful havoc with property, and instantly killing the engineer and fireman, and scalding a brakeman, perhape fatally.

Justies of the Peace Threstened ABCOLA, III, Feb. 21.—Justice of the Peace Ed McKenna received several threatening letters yesterday. 'The letters warned McKenna that if he failed to mete out justice to criminals tried be-fore him in the future that the rope would be brought into play. The letters were the outgrowth of a decision of "not guilty" rendered by McKenna in a state case the day before. The same offense was tried before another instice the day previous in behalf of the ity and a fine of \$50 and costs assessed

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-The high school building at Muscatine, la., was destroyed by fire. The children were marched out in

good order and safety. -Protracted meetings and schools in Duquoin, Ill., have been closed by the board of health, because of the pre-

valence of small-pox in that ctý. -Charges of cruelty and reglect of duty have been preferred against Lawrence Durphy, superintenders of the Blackwell's Island workhouses by

-A poll of the members of the Me-

former immate.

Lean county (Ill.) republican central committee on presidential preferences stood as follows: McKinley, 43; Morton, Allison and Cullom one each.1--The heirs of Jacques Rover are preparing to lay claim to a large s trip

been leased, for the peace only. Inves-tigation shows no tangible grapustics for the claim. -Eight bandred families in Webs Ind., were left without fuel during the prevalence of a blizzard with the ther-

mometer near zero all day Wednesday, by the bursting of a gas main leading: to the gas field. -E. J. Hylands, from Plaintield, Ill., sommitted suicide at Atlanta, Ga., in a cell at the police station. He fastened a chain about his neck and

choked himself to death. He was unbalanced mentally. -Police Commissioner Grant of New York, left headquarters yesterday to

igan university on the subject of "Foreign Commerce." -A cable to the New York Times says Lady Henry Somerset is suing William Waldorf Astor for \$25,000 damages for an alleged libelious article in the Pall Mall Gazette under the editorship of Cust, recently re-

-Charles G. Scannell, 38 years old, recently discharged from the United States infantry, was found dead with a bullet in his head, lying at the river's edge at the foot of Meigs avenue, Jeffersonville, Ind. Two hundred dollars which he had Wednesday, is missing.

-A dispatch to the London Globe from Shanghai says it is believed there that Russia intends to establish a pro-tectorate over Corea, and that England and the United States will strenuously resist such action. In the meantime the Japanese are making active preparations in their navy.

-A private cable dispatch received in Caracas. Venezuela, from London reports, on what is considered good authority, though unofficial, that England has decided to accept the boundary between British Guiana and Venezuela which may be determined by the United States commission.

EMBRACED CHRISTIANITY. . An Ez-Jewish Sabbi to Become a Meth-

edist Minister. Mr. VERNON, Ind., Feb. 20.-Maurice handers, a Jewish rabbi located here has renounced the Hebrew faith and will become a Methodist minister. He is 21 years of age and was born in Breslau, Germany, where he was edueated. Two years ago a wealthy uncle placed him in the Jewish academy at Cincinnati. A few months ago he lo-

cated here. Recently W. R. Halstead, presiding elder of this district, preached in Mt. Vernon and was heard by Handers. Wm. Dore, the last of the three broth- The sermon was upon the line of evidences of Christianity and thought upon Dr Halstead's remarks and those of Methodist ministers in Cincinnati converted Sanders. At the spring term Sanders will enter Depauw to prepare himself for the Methodist pul-

AN ATTACK ON JARUCO.

The Rebels Too Quick for the Slow-Moving Spanish Troops. From a Staff Correspondent of the United

HAVARA, Feb. 21.—An official report yesterday states that Capt.-Gen. ler, learning that the insurgents intended to make an attack on Jaruco. an important town on the railroad midway between Havana and Matansas, sent a body of troops from this city at four o'clock Wednesday morn-

ing to protect the town. His measures to meet the rebels were, however, fruitless for the attacking party, which was made up of. men from the combined bands of Gomez and Maceo, moved so rapidly that by the time the troops arrived the rehels had done their work and disag-

peared. Great Britain Invited to laters LONDON, Feb. 21.—The Times to-day publishes a dispatch from Constanti-

tople saying that the sultan has instructed Costaki Pashs, the Turkish ambassador at London, to invite Great Britain to regulate the situation in Egypt with Turkey, on the basis of guarantees being given for the security of the communications between India

Arrested on a Charge of Embessioment SCRANTON, Pa., Feb. 21.—President Porter of the Traders' National bank of this city yesterday swore out a warrant before United States Commissioner Colburn for the arrest of A. B. Williams, the late cashier of the bank, charging him with embezzling \$36,000 of the institution's funds. was taken into custody and held for a hearing.

TREMORT'S base ball club has been rganized.

NO STAPLESTANTE NO.

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MOON'S PHASES.

Last quarter, 5th; new moon, 13th, first ter, 21st, fo i moon, 38th.

ECLIPSES.

JEFF DAVIS once said: "I would sooner have an honest man on any sort of a rickety platform you could construct, than to have a man I could not trust on the best platform which could be made.' This saying is true, and that is one rea son why McKinley should be nominated. He would be a platform in himself.

THE following from the Chicago Tribune is another indication of the state of public sestiment for McKinley:

The Topeka Capital asked its reader The Topeka Capital asked its readers to express their presidential preferences in a way that might be counted. Just 4983 of them sent in votes, and four-fifths of them, or 4003, were for McKinley. Reed received 340 votes, Allison 268, Harrison 191, Lincoln 21. For second choise Reed received 1655 votes, Allison 1:21, McKinley 893, and Harrison 549. This vote was taken after Harrison's art rement from the race was an son's ret rement from the race was an-

BRER MATTHEW STANLEY QUAY doesn't seem to have the run of luck the other bosses are having these days. While Brer Platt is rehabilitating himself in dreaded disease that science has been New York by singing songs on the able to cure in all its stages, and that is Bowery, and Brer Croker is being marked as the high card in the Tambraham deck again, Brer Quay has been tional disease, requires a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional experiencing the pains of defeat in treatment. Hall'se Catarrh Cure is taken interpolly, acting directly on the blood Philadelphia. There's one noticeable and mucous surfaces of the system thing about Mr. Quay's defeats, though, and that is that when he and his friends don't win there isn't much comfort left in his defeat for his own party oppo thing about Mr. Quay's defeats, though, nents. The Democrate win when Quay doesn't. So that even in defeat he finds new arguments for his indispensability to the Pennsylvania Republican machine.

Car McKinley Be Beaten?

Can McKinley be beaten? This is a question that concerns four-fifths of the Republicans of the country who want for and obtained a judgment against to see him nominated, and probably him for \$100 and costs which he will concerns a fraction of the other onefifth who are scheming to defeat the people in their wish. The fact that a majority of Republicans in every state in the Union are for McKinley will control a majority of all the delegates to the national convention who may go there as supporters of other candidates and cause them to refuse to enter into combinations to defeat McKinley and who will in the event of a combination go to hira. This will insure his nomination. The Cleveland Leader does not think a second ballot will be necessary, hence the foregoing proposition would she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery compactely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery compactely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in in the Union are for McKinley will con-

By giving each tavorine support of his state and allowing a lib eral maight for scattering votes through other states, there is still a bright outlook for McKinley's selection on the first look for McKinley's selection on the first ling away \$15 in money and about 100 cigars. They effected an entrance by breaking the glass from a rear window and nulling back the stop. By giving each favorite son the entire support of his state and allowing a lib in probably all the states where the favorite sons are found. There is to be a total of 918 votes in the convention from present estimates. This number was est blished on the supposition that was established on the supposition that Africans. New blexico and Oklahoma lar bottle. A few weeks afterwards the winds we admitted to statehood. It located was though this would not be located was though this would not be able to another the state of Maine, with her twelve votes, to Allison; Maine, with her twelve votes, to Reed; Illinois, with her forty eight votes, to one mile of corn cribs, if stretched out one mile of corn cribs, if stretched out in one line. These are ten feet wide under the cribs in one line. These are ten feet wide under the cribs in something over 200,000 bushels.

The Bucklen's Armics Salve.

The Best Salve in the world or Cuts, now spoten of either seriously or vaguely. now spoxen of either seriously or vaguely. No one cloubts that McKinley will have many delegates in this field, and that before the convention he may get almost the entire support of some of these most the entire support of some of these states. But leaving these contingencies on the property of the question the total favorite son voted 294. Deducting this from the total 9.8, there are left 624, or more than en rugh to nominate by 164. Supposing that Reed will have the support of some of the other New England states, as he unidoubtedly will, and that Allisson and Me ton will also come in for a share and the ton will also come in for a share of the other New England states.

Mistake for Silver Senators. Chicago Evening Journal: A joint caucus of the Republicans of the house s. and senate is to be held in Washington to-night. The real question to be determined is whether legislation is to be controlled by half a dozen men from the nountain states of the west.

These men have refused assent to a revenue bill that would swell the re ceipts of the treasury so that they might equal or exceed the expenditures. If it were passed, the party would get the

y recalcitrants to this just and politic

ity. Every day adds to the grudge that is cherished against them. It seems to be their policy to help their enemies and to hurt their friends. Already they are regarded by thousands of people as dishonest schemers or irresponsible mon omaniace.

This is hardly the way to make an enviable reputation for singerity of purpose, nor is it the way to win the crown of a glorious martyrdom. The peculiar kind of perseverance that has been so intemperately engaged in sometimes goes by another name that is often illustrated by reference to the animal king-

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CLINTON Public: Marchal C. T. Mo-Gee, late of Farmer City, writes to his wife from Sioux City, Iows, that he does not intend to forsake hie family if they can forgive him.

and the undoubtedly will, and that Allison and Me ton will also come in for a share of atten ion in some states where Mc-Kinley is strong, this margin of 164 votes, with the additional votes that McKinley will get in New York, Pennsylvania. Kentucky, Illinois, Michiran, Minnesota, and other states not credited to him in the estimate, will stand considerable chart gend still leave the required limit to others, on every occasion that prefer the form of 460 for McKinley. By mak a geometric intend to forsake hie family if they can forgive him.

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were paesed, the party would get the credit for it, whether the president signed it or not. If he did not sign it, the chances of the Democracy would be worse than ever, and the assurance of Republican victory would be doubly sure.

The reason for the dissent of the few recalcitrants to this just and politic measure is that all legislation now is pren ature, except such as provides for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. At the same time they know the silver legislation is as impossible as a trip to the moon. The house has pronounced against it by an overwhelming majority. The president would veto it on the instant if it should pass the house.

If we grant, therefore, that its advocates have the best of the theoretical question of money that is involved, it is still clear that their present conduct is indefensible, and very impolitic. They are keeping the country in a state of irritation by their unreasoning pertinactity. Every day adds to the grudge that is cherished against them. It seems to

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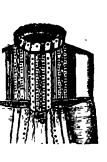
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MARRIED FORTY YEARS AGO. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Busher Will Entertain

Busher will entertain about fifty of their of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Busher were married at Springfield, Ill., on February 21, 1856. The wedding occurred in the German Lutheran church and the officiating clergyman was Rev. Harper. Mrs. Busher's maiden name was Miss Louise Beckemeyer. Immediately after their marriage the couple came to Decatur to make their home Ice cream sods, with pure fruit flavors, store building on East Main that merchants keep open their places ganized forces of the left in its front. Iswin's fountain is now open for the his place of business for over 30 years day, except on Saturdays, and that they a formation that would be effective. In been an active business man for almost to establish a parcel delivery system. 40 years. He was always considered as

> in his business ventures. When Mr. and Mrs. Busher came to Decatur the place was only a small town and they have watched the city grow to tages to the merchant. its present size. They tell many interesting incidents of the early life of the city. Mr Busher and his wife have traveled a good deal in recent years but Decatur is their home and they say that heir home will be here for the rest of their lives.

Mr. and Mrs. Busher had four children, three of whom are now living. Schuck, of Springfield, and Mrs. George P. Zeiss, of Waller, Texas. They also have eight grandchildren. Mrs. Busher was born in Prussia and came to America when she was 14 years old. Mr. Busher is also a native of Germany.

The only person who was present at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Busher and who will be in attendance at the entertainment to night is Mrs. Busher's brother, William Beckemeyer, of Springfield. The celebration to-night will be a handsome social event.

Married in California.

Decatur friends have received intelligence of the marriage of Miss Katherine Jeannette Smith, daughter of the late E. O. Smith, formerly of this city, to Calvert Wilson, of Los Angeles, Cal., which occurred at 1 p. m., February 11, at the home of the bride's mother in San Jose, Cal. The bride is a talented young lady. She is a fine musician, NEXT Wednesday night at St, Patrick's and is well versed in literature and the Catholic church Rev. Father P. J languages. She has many friends in Macken will deliver the first in a series this city, where the family used to reof lectures on "The Unity and Sauctity side, Mr. Smith being the proprietor of of Marriage." His subject for Wednes the old Smith's opera house. Mr. and William Brockman, burglary, sent to the Mrs. Wilson will reside in Los Angeles

Steal at County Jail. Sheriff Nicholson went to Pontiac yesterday with Somner Gillespie and at the yard office, 800 North Broadway Harry Hell, the two boys who violated For Broadway office, Old Phone, 433; their paroles from the reform school. New Phone, 435. Also leave orders Gillespie was convicted of assault with with T. W Cann, 628 North Main, or a deadly weapon, and Harry Bell was with Harry Metz, at King & Metz' drog found guilty of disturbing a Salvation store. Hard coal, all sizes, always in Army meeting. About the last act of stock at market prices. Nov. 11 dtf Gillespie at the jail was to steal a It looks like Illinois is destined to be sweater belonging to one of the other great apple raising state. It is said prisoners. He gave it to a young man that 550 different varieties of apples are named Lynch, who visited at the jail. growing in the experimental orchard of Deputy Sheriff Holmes after a little de-

Curious Kite Uses.

An article by Cleveland Moffett in McClure's Magazine for March, will de-Old people who require medicine to regulate the towels and kidneys will find the true remedy in electric Bitters. In the departments of meteorology, elec This medicine does not stimulate and tricity, and photography. It will also less kite, how to fly kites in tandem, and less kite, how to fly kites in tandem, and miles from a postoffice; twenty five the possibilities of the kite as a coming miles from a railroad; fourteen miles instrument of war. Along with other

Lecture on French Art.

Last night at the Woman's club Mrs. Haberly lectured before a large audience fresh start." Her subject was "Modern French Art and Artists." She spoke of the work of the different French artists of the present day and discussed some of was the last one that Mrs. Raberly will she will leave for Buffalo, N. Y., where she will begin a course of lectures.

Wall Paper Trust in Trouble. It is said there is a movement under way by large stockholders in the United States wall paper trust to dissolve that corporation because of its failure to page any dividends since last April on \$8,000, 000, worth of preferred stock. It is reported that there are serious, internal affairs of the company,

Cutting Ico at Pokla.

the ice in the Illinois river at Pekin is the frigid type. It was a few degrees searly tand inches thicker The Bolays above zero this morning at 7 o'clock. Ice steenow filling:up their houses, and will inform unser the river. There is skatcane the usual large supply a single street and on the street and on the street street and on the street street

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ACTION OF STATE GROCERS. Ketura of Supervisor Fred Kip and J. G.

This evening Mr. and Mrs. W. F. J. G. Cloyd and Supervisor Fred Kip, Decatur retail grocers, have returned friends at their home on West Macon from Edwardsville where they attended heard with bated breath the story of street. It will be a card party and it is the state session of the Illinois Retail the defeat of the army at Cedar Creek, given to celebrate the 40th anniversary Grocers' and Merchants' Association.

supported the association's garnishee bill, and it was resolved to present a ary, but there is enough in the historto vote for no candidate who will not his army. The army was at no time commending the action of the executive but a magnificent flank movement exeand they have lived here ever since. at the next state fair; that state organ Mr. Busher started in the shoe business izers be placed in the field as early as army disorganized the left wing of Sherin this city just before his marriage. practicable with a view of organizing idan's army, which, being powerless on His first store was a small one on South local associations in every city and vit-account of the attack in reverse and Water street. He then opened quite a lage of the state; asking local associalarge store at the corner of East Main tions to establish rating books in their upon the right wing in such a way and South Franklin streets and town or city; condemning the practional that it could not deliver its fire, being in 1862 he moved into the policy of price-cutting; recommending obstructed by the retreating and disorstreet, near Water which he occupied as of business not longer than 12 hours a This compelled the right to fall back for until about a year ago when he retired observe all legal holidays; disappraving this way the fight to check Earley's adfrom business life. Mr. Busher had the proposed action of the government vance had to be made about three miles

in rear of the position on Cedar Creek A. E. Stevens, of Chicago, read a pa being in the front ranks of the business men of the city and has been successful Selling by Manufacturers to the Retailer to the Interest of Our Merchants?"

Charles R. Lott, of Chicago, read a paper on cash business and its advan-

A. J. Hall, of Chicago, discussed the merchants' associations and their uses which every merchant is benefitted by them. Herman Alschuler, of Chicago read a paper on bimetallism. Charles Pfieffer, of St. Louis, read a paper on profit-cutting and cost to business. claiming that through merchants' or Walter Busher, their only son, died some ganizations profit-cutting could be cears ago. Their daughters are Mrs. stopped. F. Kaht, of Centralia, had a W. P. Shade, of this city; Mrs. Charles paper on "In What Manner Does the Modern System of Business Affect Our Retail Merchants?"

The obnoxious pharmacy law, also the matter of fake advertising, were referred to the National Convention.

Quincy was unanimously selected for holding the next convention.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: George A. Scherer, Peoria, president; Charles R. Lott. Chicago, first vice president; Whit Dawson, Aurora, second vice president; C. E. Langetrum, Galesburg, third vice president; James R. Longton, Peoria, secretary; George Dollingsburg, Chicago, treasurer; J. L. Soebbing, Quincy, and G. A. Kuhl. Pekin, members of the execand G. S. Connelly, Springfield, delegates to the National Convention.

Criminal Cases at Monticello. In the circuit court at Monticello Judge Wright went through the crimi nal docket, disposing of cases as follows: Frank Reed, forgery, continued; George Howard, burglary, fined \$5 and given twenty days in jail; Clarence Jones and penitentiary; Christopher Harden, burglary, fined \$5 and given twenty days in jail; Charles Todd, burglary, sent to the reform school; Brook Deardorff, assault to commit rape; pleaded guilty to assault

and fined \$50 and costs. Cases against in 1890 and 1892 and fied to the rear, Frank West, carrying concealed weapon: McKinley was the man who preveni-William S herman, Carl Gillam and Berry Fowler, George Stuckey, John W. Householder, William Brown, William Swigart, gamıng; William Campbell. keeping gaming house; Fred Falee and again come to the party, and it did come Mary Taylor, adultery; Albert Zybell, as he predicted, in 1893 and again in assault and battery; James Todd and 1894 great victory, overwhelming vicethers, riot; John McNaull, Peter Bach, tory for the party that stands for Amerselling liquor to minors; Charles Morris, ican prosperity. This characteristic of forgery, continued; Thomas McPheeters McKinley makes him the leader and the

and Edward Clapp, burglary, continued. | choice of the people. Back to God's Country. man who moved a few years ago started back to Illinois recently and left the following "farewell" written on the wall of his Dakota resi-

"Four miles from a neighbor: sixteen from a school house; forty-one miles from a church; one hundred and eighty photographed from a kite, at an elevation, one natured and eighty correct, the collectial wanderer will strike photographed from a kite, at an elevation, in some instances of 1.500 feet. water; a quarter of a mile from sheel and the same distance from a Republican. 'God bless our home.' Gode to lilinois, which is God's country, to get a lilinois, which is God's country, to get a lilinois, which is God's country, to get a lilinois.

Manager Allbright, of the Postal Tele-graph company office, has notified us that the Postal company reduction rates the best known pictures. The lecture published in the REPUBLICAN a few days ago, will take effect Monday, Fab. 24. give in this city. She has completed a These rates which the public will be course of lessons on mythology and quick to accept and appreciate, are due another on Italian art and in a few days to the advent of the Postal company in Decatur, and the sharp competition by them. Manager Allbright is strictly in the push and is making things hum! telegraphically speaking.

Will Ennie to "Kiro,"

W. H. Enried is to receipt of a letter froth his don, WAI, who is traveling in Burope. At the lime the letter was willich Mr. Bunis was id Cattoned with a party of Americans he had joined he lissensions and that wall paper manu, was expecting to stay there for a month facturers holding preferred bonds have at least before preceding of a trip up entered a combination to wind up the the Mills. Mr. Entire will be abrush until fiterid the entitles.

d verse seniching : " Tregue Geo. W. Ehrhart stated to day that sales weather with icontinues to be of

restguena - . I de . un este.

MAJOR M'KINLEY.

The world has read about the battle

The Character of the Man Exhibited at

of Cedar Creek. Young and old have of Sheridan's ride, of his reaching a dis-A vote of thanks was extended to the couraged army and turning defect into members of the last legislature who a decisive victory. Much of these stories are mythical and porely imaginsimilar bill to the next legislature, and ical facts to immortalize Sheridan and pledge himself to support the measure; defeated and routed as the story goes, board in providing for pure-food display cuted in the early morning under cover of a fog by a portion of Early's rear to defend itself was forced back

The forces surprised in the morning per on "Are Limited Prices and Direct were that part of the Eighth corps which Hayes' command, to which Mai. McKinley belonged, was attached, and that part of the Nineteenth corps which was part of Sheridan's army. These fractions of corps were of course considerably disorganized as they were fired upon when the men were asleep in to the merchant, showing many ways in their tents, and many a poor fellow, perhaps dreaming of home was shot and killed in the midst of his dream. When the 6th corps, and the cavalry got in position to deliver battle, the 8th and 19th corps were crowded again to the left where they belonged. The Valley nike passed through their line and many of the panic stricken men kept on toward Winchester. It was these straggling disheartened troops Sheridan met when approaching the field.

On the line was the little village of Middletown. It was here that Sheridan received the first rational account of the situation. All those he had met had declared the army was gone, all panic stricken and disorganized. Mc-Kinley at that time was 19 years old and had attained the rank of Major. When Sheridan got to Middletown he saw McKinley encouraging the men and pleading with them not to go further to the rear, as the army could yet defeat Early, and riding to him asked what the situation was. Sheridan in his Memoirs says McKinley replied, the utive board; R. H. Liddell, Chicago, army is all right and we can whip them yet. Upon that information Sheridan determined to win the day, and did win it. Upon the exertion of Major McKinley, whose faith in the men and the justice of the cause, was largely due the organization of the 8th corps for battle.

This exemplified the character of the man. He was fighting for a cause he believed in. He was ready to lay down his life for it. Defeat did not dishearten him, but on the contrary called for better exertion.

When other men became disheartened over the defeat of the Republican party nently stood in the panicky lines and encouraged the party with an assurance that its principles were right, that its cause was just, and that victory would

AIMED AT THE EARTH.

r Perrine's Comet Is Av ing at the Terrific Rate of

1,600,000 Miles a Day OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 21.-If the calcuations which Prof. Lenschner of the California State University has made of the velocity and orbit of the new comet discovered by Astronomer Perrine, of Lick observatory a few days ago, are correct, the celestial wanderer will strike culation implies that the comet, which

Prof Lenschner says, however, there is versity are the official figures.

AUCTION sale of dry goods every day at Anstead's.

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Opposite Review Building.



FRIDAY, FEB. 21, 1896.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, 112, Feb. 21, 1896

Open- High- Low- Clos-

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May Ribs— May	5 60 5 25	5 60 5 25	5 573m 5 25	5 60 5 25	
May wheat: puts, 6te; calls, 65ke, curb, 61%					

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS. Wheat-71. Estimated, 44. Year ago. rn- 332. Estimated, 336; a year ago. Oaks—198; Fistimated, 174; a year ago, — ## 10: Corn. 325; cate, 232.

Hog receipts 13,000, estimated 20,000. Market strong; 5c higher. Light, \$3.05@\$4.25, mixed. \$8.00@\$4.10, heavy, \$4.10@\$4.15, rough, \$3.55@

Rethinated for to-morrow, 21,000.

Cattle receipts 4,000, market steady.

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Off coast, wheat quiet but steady. Corn quiet. On passage: Wheat quiet for white, easy for red. Corn, duil. English country markets partially cheaper, 6d. French country markets firmer. Weather in England disc.

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. (m.-Wheat, spot, dull; futures quiet. Corn, spot, steady, futures steady. NEW YORK STOCKS. WEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Trading o

active and firm, with purchases of shares of sumber of railway for London account Activity, however, soon ceased and the market became dull, easier, with considerable recension owing to reallying sales.
-Solling pressure ambsided after eleven

At noon market very dull, steady.
PEOBLA QUOTATIONS. Emenia, Fob. 21.—Corn. No. 2, 26h. Oats

No.3, white, '2020's. Rye, nominal. T. LOUIS MARKET, Ur. LOUIS. Feb. 21.-Wheat, cash No 2 7140, May, 631ac. Corn, cash, 26, May, 27. Oats, cash 19; May, 195 NEW YORK MARKET NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Butter,

Wheat, May, 713. Corn. May, 363. Oals, May, 25%. DECATUR STOCK MARKET

POULTR'S MARKET. Corrected tinity by Max Atlas & Co.

Hena ce per b Geese ff .

Springs se per b Ducks .

Bags se per b Eggs
Roosters ce per b Hiles

Turkey hens tee per b Tallow
Gobblers so per b Beeswax . f. 5c uer b.
To per b.
10c per b.
4c per b.
2 to 4c per b.
3-c per b.

Elma Paric to L. K. Howard, the north half of lot 2, block 2, in H. Robinson's addition to Decatur—\$1,500.

addition to Jecutur—\$1,500.

L. B. Casuer to Jonah Tohill, lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, in block 2, in Casuer's addition—\$2,000.

Samuel H. Jameson to Arvilla Mc Kowa, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 4, Engle wood addition of out lon—\$1,500.

J. A. Pasley to A. R. Edwards, tract of land in 19, 13, 4 cast—\$35.

Geo. W. Calhoan to Rev. D. O. Giffin, lot 5, block 14, Argenta—\$11385.

Geo. W. Calhoun to Rev. D. O. Giffin, lot 5, block it, Argenta... \$113.85.

Ru h s De l and J. J. Evans to Irene Reeve, lot ir 15, 16, 2 cast... \$150.

Arvilla McKown to Hannah McKown, lots 1, 2 and 4, block 4, Englewood addition to out-ote... \$1,000.

Rosa Las to William Mitchell, 15 acres in 8, 17, 4 chat... \$1.00.

Fleed \$18.

In the county court to-day Joseph Robinson was fined \$27 and costs for renting presides to be used as a house city, on Feb. 20.—a daughter. of ill fame.

THE MUSICAL CLUB.

Composers.

A meeting of the Musical Culture club was held this morning at the home of Misa Gussie Gorin on Prairie avenue. Two new members, Mrs. H. L. Oldham and Mrs. Gus Wilmeth, were admitted to the society. After the business up at once in the old shoe factory buildsession a musical program was rendered The subject for the day was "Women tur gentlemen who have been instru-Composers." The numbers rendered were

A Shepherd of Israel" Plano Solo-"Water Sprites' "Said the Wind One Day".

Miss Gussie Gorin. Paper— 'Women Composers'' Mrs. O. E. Curtis.

Miss Lena Nelson "La ce darani la Maria" Mrs. C. W. Montgomery.

Vocal Role "Goodbys Sweet Day" Miss Ebert. Violin Solo-Linte No. 3. Opus 34 Vocal Solo- 'Broken Blossom''.

Plane Solo-"Petit Romance! Miss Runn Vocal Duet-"Come Unto Me" The Misses Durfee

The chorus was composed of the following: Mrs. Will Heilman, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Hostetler, Mrs. Wilmeth, Misses Ebert, Crea, Kimber, Scruggs, Burrows and Lytle.

It was decided to hold the next meeting on March 6, at the home of Mrs. Lucien Shellabarger.

The members present this morning were. Mesdames A. B. Alexander, Will Barnes, Charles Dawson, Ed Denz, Will Heilman, F P. Howard, Charles Mont gomery, E. P. Vail, E. A. West, H. C. Starr, and Misses Mary Voorhies, Corinne Shellabarger, Bertha Roach, Abbie Durfee, Dot Durfee, Sallie Scruggs, Carrie Griswold, Beatrice Howard, Aldyth Irwin, Laura Johns, Nellie Nichols, Sadie Roby, Edith Lytle, Edna Bunn, Neta Clark, May Condell, Lillian Crea, Aldie Ebert and Belle

visitors were Mrs. Lord, of Orange, N. J.; Miss Patti Anderson, of Owensboro, Ky.; Miss Lenz Nelson, of Chicago, and Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew.

The Opening To-night.

Manager Ferguson, of the street car company, has everything in readiness for the opening of the new transfer the house is completed. To-night after 7 o'clock everybody will be has been no bonus. allowed to ride on the cars free of charge so that all will have an opportunity of seeing the house, and Glidden contract This, however, is not the cars will probably be crowded all exactly the case. When the shee factory evening. The old transfer house has building became vacant W. H. Starr arbeen bought by Mattes & Sons and they ranged with the trustees of the sub will move it to their new brick yard east scribers to the fund that built it to take of the city and use at for an office.

An Old Belic.

In excavating for the new Powers' block the butt of up old pole was taken out. Upon inquiry it was found to be the remains of a campaign pole raised by the German Republicans of Decatur ty is to be sold to the company for in the Lincoln campaign of 1860. The \$5,000. piece taken out is well preserved. Many citizens recall the event of raising it.

Death of Mrs. Bradshaw.

Mrs. Rozana Bradsbaw died of the aged 71 years. She leaves a son, Fred outfit and shafting. Bradshaw, of this city, and a daughter cen to Kenney at 11:25 a. m. Seturday for burial.

Their Case Was Settled

brought up yesterday in Justice Shorb's court, was compromised to day. Mrs. Brust brought suit against her husband for non support, but the couple decided to live together again and the case was dismissed.

Will of W. R. Shrum.

The last will of the late W. R. Shrum was filed for probate in the county court to-day. The estate consists of 160 acres of land in Chance county, Neb., and personal property valued at \$300. All of the property is left to the widow, Mrs. E. J. Shrum.

Will Start Up Soon.

Yesterday Gordon and Clint Damrow will open at 160 West Main street. They expect to have the work started in a sbort time.

Moved to Iowa.

J. O. and J F. McMullen, and Frank

The Shooting Match.

The handscap shooting match is being held at the Athletic park this afternoon. Quite a large number of sportsmen have entered. About 500 live birds will be

Brought to Decatur. The remains of 'C. R. hilley, who died last Tuesday at Hot Springs. Ark, were

brought to this city this morning. The funeral will be be'd Sun ay afternoon at St. Patrick's Cutholic of urch. Born, to Mr. an i Mrs. Domer West

A NEW INDUSTRY.

Decatur Secures the Spery Cutlery Manufacturing Company Plant.

The negotiations which have been in progress for some months looking to the location of the plant of the Spery Cutlery Manufacturing Compuny, of St. Louis, at Decatur, have finally been successful, and the enterprise will start ing on East Eldorado street. The Deca mental in securing this important addi tion to our industries are W. H. Starr, J. M. Clokey, C. M. Hurst and W. B. Chambers. They have carried on the negotiations in a modest way, with no brass band attachments, and they can point with pardonable pride and satisfaction to the result.

The Spery cômpaby will begin work with fifty people. In six months it is expected that they will have at least 100 ties, including bread, cake and paring knives, meat tenderers, lamp fillers, graters, slaw cutters, can openers, minc M. Lang ing knives, and so on. All of these specialties are patents of Charles F. Spery, the manager Nickel plating will also be a feature of the company's work. He has also made all of the machinery for making these utensils. Some of these machines are complicated and built especially for the purpose The company has spent about \$28,000 for

special machines alone.

The company has been selling its pro ducts to big dealers all over the country. going after only large orders. The factory has been in the city of St. Inuis. The business has grown so that it has been evident for, some time that the plant would have to be moved to a place where the rent is cheaper and the man ufacturing business could be carried on more easily. The company at first thought of moving to the suburbs of St. Louis or East St. Louis, but the fact that it was about to move became known to persons outside of the city, and severa towns made efforts to get the factory Among these were Peoria and Mattoon One Illinois town offered a bonus equivalent to \$10,000. No bonus has been offered by Decatur people, and the only inducements held out for the factory to come here have been the city's superior shipping advantages and its supply of

coal, water, and so on The fact that we had a shoe factory house to night. The interior work on building made it possible to offer them the building at reasonable terms. There

> In a general way it may be said that the company carries out the Houver & the Heuver & Glidden contract and take the building. The terms in that contract roughly stated, are the payment of insurance and taxes until July, 1900, then if a certain aumber of men are employed in the factory, the entire proper-

The Spery Manufacturing company will, when it is thoroughly established have about \$40,000 capital invested in its business. It will have a complete plant of special machinery, besides the grip Thursday night, February 20, at machinery that goes with the building, her home, No. 2111 North Water etreet, including boilers, engine, steam heating

Charles F. Spery, secretary and treasat Kenney, Ill. The remains will be urer of the company, which is incorpoited, is also manager. He has invented the different articles manufactured and most of the machinery used in making The case of William Brust, which was them. M. Jerdan, a banker of Hermann, Mo., is president of the company and its financial backer.

.The company will bring to the city only the skilled men that have been in its employ. The rest of its force of operators will be engaged in this city. The men coming with the company were already at work yesterday making ar rangements to move their families here Five houses in the vicinity of the factory. were rented and will be occupied at once. Perhaps 20 families will move to Decatur as a direct result of the new

factory coming here. The company has had one traveling man on the road who has made only the big cities and sold to the largest whole received a carload of machinery for the salers. There is a great demand for its soda water bottling works which they goods. Decatur hardware men who are familiar with them say that there are many of them without competition, be ing novelties that Mr. Spery alone has made and that there is no doubt but that they will sell well. The company and John Lowry, of Lake City, left last has an eastern agency in New York night on their way to Adel, lows, where which handles its goods in large quanti they will make their home. Their wives ties, exporting many of them. As soon and families passed through here to as the factory gets started it will begin work on one order of 100 gross. It has orders on its books now that will keep the factory running fully sixty days.

> Revival Services at St. Peter's A. E. B. Church.

The revival services are still going on at the A. M. E church with unabated success. Rev. W. T. Franklin, transferred from the South Arkansas confer ence, is in the city assisting the pastor. Rev. P. C. Cooper. The meetings are growing each night in interest Chit dren's meeting to morrow afternoon at 2:30. Mothers come and bring your entidren. Bev. Franklin will preach Sunday night especially to the young hafer, living five mi es portheast of the men. All are invited to attend.

LINN& SCRUGGS DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

William, Franklin and Park Sts.

expected that they will have at least 100 people employed. The company has been in business in St. Louis for about three years. It makes a list of specialties, including bread, cale and paring

FEBRUARY 22, 1896.

Greatest Bargains Ever Offered!

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs worth 20c, Saturday Sale, 9c.

Ladies' 8 Bt. Glace Mousquetaire Kid Gloves worth \$2.00, Saturday 69c. Men's Seamless Fast Black Socks, extra spliced heel and toe, worth 20c, at 10c a pair.

Men's Heavy Work Shirts worth \$1.00, at 25c. Boys' Shirt Waists and Blouses, 19, 25 and 49c.

Men's Dress Shirts, colored fronts, attached and detatched collars, worth \$1.25, Saturday

Tam O'Shanter Hats, plaids and plains, 25, 49 and 75c.

Golf Caps, red and navy, 25c. Misses' and Children's School Caps just received and on sale.

Ladies' New Spring Hats, trimmed and untrimmed.

700 bunches of Roses at 15c a bunch.

500 bunches of Roses at 9c a bunch. 275 beaches of Violets at 4c a bunch.

Satin Striped Ribbons at 19c a yard.

75 pieces Dress Plaids at 15c.

22 pieces Scotch Cheviots at 15c.

DRESS GOODS CHEAPER THAN EVER.

100 Dress Skirts, figured Mohair, at 33.49. Spring Capes, 2.98. Spring Jackets, 4.98. Children's School Reefers, 98c and 7.25.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Myers is on the sick list. Heston Baldwin is on the sick list.

M. A. Jones, of Elwood, Ind., is in the

W. H. Swearingen, of Kenosha, Wis.

Mrs. Frank Wells arrived home from Chicago yesterday.

Henry Matthews left last night for Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wells have re-

Thomas Bivans went to Maroa this morning on a business trip.

George W. Ehrhart arrived in the city last night from Pekin on a visit.

Miss Helen Spencer, of St. Louis, ar-rived in the city to day to visit Miss Eve Hammer. Albert Barnes has recovered from his

late iliness and is again attending to Mrs. Frank H. Hall, of Kenosha, Wis., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Swearingen

on West North street. Mrs. Charles Schuck, of Springfield. arrived here to day to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Busher.

Rev. J. B. Updike, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., arrived in the city to-day and will lecture at the Tabernacle to night.

Miss Etta Collier, of Taylorville, who has been visiting in the city, left last night for Storm Lake, Iowa, where she will make her home.

Mrs. Alma Morgan Kinney left yesterday for Forrest, where to night she will give a recital under the auspices of the Congregations! church.

Hon. Harace S. Clark, of Mattoon, was in the city yesterday for a few hours, and paid the REPUBLICAN a call. He had just arrived from Bloomington.

Rev. John Cook returned to his home in Leroy yesterday. He came here to officiate at a wedding at Sangamon Wednesday night and visited Read

Mrs. D. C. Fisher of Ft. Wayne, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. A. Pollock, was joined by her husband Wednesday and they left for Memphis Wednesday night. Sheriff J. P. Nicholson and Deputy Circuit C'erk J. W. McClelland went to

Long Creek this morning to attend the uneral of James Jones, which will take place this afternoon.

J. H. Luker and wife, of Columbus, O., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Downing. Mr. Luker is a brother in-law of the Sells Brothers, of circus fame, and is one of the managers of the circus

For bale-A Big Bargain. The property at the southeast corner of Main and Wood streets-first prop erty south of Imboden's meat market suitable for dwelling, boarding house or business property. Must be sold, and

will go at a great eacrifice. Apply to W. Z. Walmeley, 18-dtf over Cheap Charley's Store.



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or almost any office man wants a different shoe from the man who is on the street most of the time. He generally likes it lighter and is willing to have a little more style in it. We can suit him literally "down to the ground." Shoes for everybody at everybody's price at

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clothing is dear, no matter how as to dispense with the chain, but as exhibited, it had the demerit of comcheaply you may buy it. Our discount of 15 per cent for cash cycles to which it was applied. It is apparent that it could be readily adaptonly still holds good on all Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing.

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NEW CORSETS FOR SPRING.

Before having your new dresses fitted come picador, stood his ground, and, not beand buy you a CORRECT STYLE CORSET. In able to turn quickly enough, was





WONDERS IN WHEELS.

Queer Pieces of Mechanism Recently Exhibited at Paris The fact that 1,000,000 new bicycles

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will be manufactured this year is apparently beyond dispute. Even the expert bicyclist, however, can form no notion of the inventive talent brought fection in the mechanism of all those wheels while at the same time keeping well within the limits of a bicycle's practical utility. The list of new bicycle contrivances is already long, and in fact, too long, but the grand test of every one of them is applicability to cutrent uses, and the contrivances here



tion. Most of them were on exhibition in the great buycle exposition at Paris, and were put into operation with great

The most ingenious, perhaps, re-ceived the name of the "cyclet." Its mechanism will be sufficiently obvious The professed object of the contrivance pelling the cyclist to pedal in a very awkward position. This fact was duc-largely to structural defects in the bid to machines of any make with tri-



and seems destined to be adopted with

the "Funiculaire," as it is called. The ides of the machine will be apparent from an inspection of the cut beneath. Detailed explanation is superflous. The nventor was not at first taken serious ly, but now he has won some honor as an original genius.

But the grand desideratum of the cyclist is a contrivance for the regulation of the speed of his machine. This possible to quite the extent desired by riders who frequent country districts The bicyclist traveling now down a mountain and then upon a plane has sorely lamented this want of inventiveness among machine makers. It must be admitted that great credit is due to the men who have set themselves to the solution of this problem. To great extent it is solved already. But perfection of detail is conspicuously lacking still. Those inventions which attempt to meet the difficulty in a new way are mere modifications of the fatailiar principle of wheels within wheels. There is the usual lever to throw the power from a larger wheel to a small one. The great trouble with



tendency to introduce fine mechanism and delicate wheels into their machines. One of the most remarkable evolutions of late is the Simon folding bicycle. This machine is very solidly pills that cure dyspepsia and consteps constructed and can be easily transconstructed and can be easily transformed into a tandem. It must be very useful to cyclers who do not wish to go to the expense of having two distinct machines. Of course, it is impossible to give any idea of machinery in words that would be very clear, but the accompanying diagram will convey a correct notion of the basic prin-

Bull Fight on Bleycles.

The latest thing in Spanish bull fights is to put the matador on a bleyele fa-stead of a horse. Carlos Rodriguez, a well-known cyclist, and Badila, the picador of the Quadrille de Mazzantini, both entered the arena lately in Madrid mounted on cycles. Rodriguez soon overtaken and both machine and rider tossed high in the air by the infurinted animal. By a miracle the rider was not hurt, but the machine was wrecked beyoud repair.

Wenders of Sciencios? Since the beginning of this century no fewer than \$2 volcanic islands have risen out of the sea; 19 disappeared, being submerged, the others remain, and ten are now inhabited.

RACK FOR BICYCLES to Transport Machines by Rail With

The number of bicyclists who travel into the country before mounting their wheels is already great and constant-ly increasing. A difficult problem for railroad men to solve has, therefore, arisen: How to transport these hundreds of machines without damage and

sible in the baggage cars.

One of the cleverest devices of this sort is the invention of a Frenchman, M. Joseph Oller. who, curiously enough, is a theatrıcal manager, being the director of the Olympia, the Moulin I ouge and the Jardin de Paris. It may not inantly be called the "blevele grip. not inaptly be called the "bicycle grip-

at the same time so arrange them that

they will take up as little space as pos

This apparatus consists, first, of an iron circle eight or ten feet in diameter. laving a sort of track about its outer run, which is fastened to the floor of the car. In the center of this circular piece of iron rises an iron standard hich is the axis from which radiate ten sets of arms, the upper ones being the length of a bicycle placed on end distant from the lower. The outer ends of the lower arms are fastened to another iron rim the same size as the one upon the floor of the car. Between the two are numerous rollers, which permit it to revolve easily.

and the lower, the bicycle is placed on end. The lower arm is, as has been said, fixed, but the upper is movable and held in place by a stout spring. When the bicycle is placed between them the upper arm, the under side of which is concave, presses down firmly upon the tire of the bicycle's front wheel, thus holding the machine end attached to the top of the standard renting the possibility of the wheel slipping out of its place.

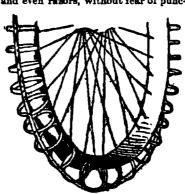
It is claimed that with this device it is possible to transport bicycles for long distances by rail without the slightest risk of their being injured in

The advantage of the movable frame in which the bicycles are placed is that it greatly facilitates the unloading reached where a bicycle is to be taken off the frame is whirled around until he machine to be unloaded is nearest the door. A touch of the hand releases the trap and spring and the wheel is in the hands of its owner in less than a minute. Every wheelman who has traveled by rail is familiar with the vexatious delays that often occur in unloading the cargo of wheels,

NEW BICYCLE TIRE.

Inventor Claims It Will Ride Over Tacks Without Puncture

The tire here illustrated has been satented by a Canadian. He claims that it may be ridden over tacks, glass, and even razors, without fear of punc



of elliptical steel springs set at right A steel band passes round the outer cir-cumference of the tire thus formed, forming a strong, resilient and "quick" tire. It may be covered with rubber to keep out dirt and water. It is said that several American firms have entered into negotiations for the use of the tire.

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If some good work berses, and a few good sin
gie driver, which I will sell cheap, for cash, or
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For forms call and see Basn & Park, real estate, loans, etc., 182 East Prairie street.

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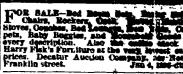
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FILIDAY, FEB. 21, 1896.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

OHIOAGO, Ilf., Feb. 21, 1896
The Herr silvan is indebted to B. Z. Taylor sales in grave, provisions and stocks, with corresponded to Ohicago, New York, Minnapolis and Bt. Louis, for the following market quota-

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May wheat: puts, 64c; calls, 65%c, curb, 61%					

TO-D/ T'S RECEIPTS-CAR LOTS. Wheat-71 Estimated, 44; Year ago, -Corn- 372 Estimated, 336; a year ago, Oats-196; Estimated, 174; a year ago, -BST MATES FOR YO-MORBOW.

Wheat, 70, Corn. 325; oats, 282. Hog receipts 18,000, estimated 20,000. Marke strong; Sc higher. Light, \$3.95@\$4.25; mixed \$2.50@64.10; beavy, '\$4.10@\$4.15, rough, \$3.85@

Cattle receipts 4,000; market steady. LONDON,) p. m.—Off coast, wheat quiet but

steady. Com, quiet. On passage: Wheat quie for white, easy for red. Corn, duil. English. country markets firmer. Weather in England

**LIVERPOOL, 1 p. (m.—Wheat, spot, dull; futures quick. Corn, spot, steady; futures steady. NEW YORK STOCKS. WEW YOUN; Feb. 21.—Tracing opened fairly active and firm, with purchases of shares of s

number of railway for London acce Activity, however, soon ceased and the market e duil, easier, with considerable recension owing to realizing sales.
-Belling pressure subsided after eleven o'clock

PEORIA QUOTATIONS. RESELA. J'eb. 21.—Corn. No. 2, 264.
No. 3, white, 20204. Rye, nominal.

ST. LOUIS MARKET. tr. Louis, Feb. 21.-Wheat, cash No. : red, 71140, May, 6313c. Corn, cash, 26, May

27. Oats, cash 19; May, 19%. New YORK, Feb. 21 -Rutter

-. Wheat, May, 715. Corn. May, 36k. Oats MAY. 25%. , DECATUR STOCK MARKET.

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Export Cattle	3.00
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Springs 6c per h Stags 4c per h Roosters 3c per h	Eggs 10c per to
Roosters	Histor 4c per to
Clobblers 9c per fb	Beeswax 20c per 10

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land in 16, 15, 4 east--- 135. Geo. W. Calhoun to Rev. D. O. Giffin,

Re he De i and J. J. Evans to Irere
Reve. lot in 15, 16, 2 east—\$150.

Arvilla McKown to Hannah McKown,
lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 4, Englewood ad

dition to entrote—\$1,000c Rosa Lee to William Mitchell, 15 acres in 8, 17,4 a at —\$1.00.

Place \$15.

In the county court to-day Joseph Robinson was fined \$27 and costs for of ill fame.

THE MUSICAL CLUB

Gorin and Discuss Women

A meeting of the Musical Culture club was held this morning at the home of Miss Gussie Gorin on Prairie avenue. Two new members, Mrs. H. L. Oldbam and Mrs. Gus Wilmeth, were admitted to the society. After the business session a musical program was rendered. The subject for the day was "Women Composers." The numbers rendered were as follows.

Plano Solo—"Water Sprites"

Vocal Solo- "Said the Wind One Day" ... Miss Gussie Gorin.

Women Composers".....
Mrs. O. E. Curtis. Miss Lena Nelson.

Mrs. C. W. Montgomery. Yocal Solo- "Goodbye Sweet Day" Violin Solo-- Linte No. 3, Opus 34

Miss Patti Anderson Vocal Bolo-"Broken Blossom". . . Miss Beruggs Plano Solo—"Petit Romance! Miss Bunn. Vocal Duct—"Come Unto Me"

The Misses Durfee The chorus was composed of the following: Mrs. Will Heilman, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Hostetler, Mrs. Wilmeth, Misses Ebert, Crea, Kimber, Scruggs, Burrows and Lytle.

It was decided to hold the next meeting on March 6, at the home of Mrs. special machines alone. Lucien Shellabarger.

The members present this morning Heilman, F. P. Howard, Charles Montgomery, E. P. Vail, E. A. West, H. C. Starr, and Misses Mary Voorbies, Corinne Shellabarger, Bertha Roach, Howard, Aldyth Irwin, Laura Johns, Nellie Nichols, Sadie Roby, Edith Lytle, Edna Bunn, Neta Clark, May Condell,

Chicago, and Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew.

Manager Ferguson, of the street car company, has everything in readiness coal, water, and so on. for the opening of the new transfer house to night. The interior work on building made it possible to offer them the house is completed. To night the building at reasonable terms. There after 7 o'clock everybody will be has been no bonus. allowed to ride on the cars free In a general way it may be said that of the city and use it for an office.

In excavating for the new Powers' the remains of a campaign pole raised ployed in the factory, the entire proper by the German Republicans of Decatur ty is to be sold to the company for in the Lincoln campaign of 1860. The \$5,000. piece taken out is well preserved. Many citizens recall the event of raising it.

Death of Mrs. Bradshaw

Mrs. Rozana Bradebaw died of the grip Thursday night, February 20, at machinery that goes with the building, her home, No. 2111 North Water etreet, including beilers, engine, steam heating aged 71 years. She leaves a sen, Fred outfit and shafting. Bradehaw, of this city, and a daughter at Kenney, Ill. The remains will be taken to Kenney at 11:25 a. m. Saturday rated, is also manager. He has invented for burial.

Their Case Was Settled.

brought up vesterday in Justice Shorb's | mann, Mo., is president of the court, was compromised to day. Mrs and its financial backer. Brust brought suit against her husband | The company will bring to the city dismissed.

Will of W. R. Shrum.

to-day. The estate consists of 160 acres of land in Chance county, Neb., and personal property valued at \$300. All of Decatur as a direct result of the new Mrs. Alma Morgan K. The following are the ruling prices paid by the property of th the property is left to the widow, Mrr. factory coming here.

> Will Start Up Soon. short time.

J. O. and J F. McMullen, and Frank

day.

Samuel II. Jameson to Arvilla Mc

Kowa, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 4, Engle
wood addition of out lots—\$1500.

J. A. Pasley to A. R. Edwards, tract of the Athletic park this efternoon. The handscap shooting match is being Quite a large number of sportsmen have entered. About 50J live birds will be

Brought o Decatur. last Tuesday at Hot Springs. Ark., were brought to this city this morning. The funeral will be he'd Sun ay afternoon at St. Patrick's Catholic ci urch.

Born, to Mr. an I Mrs. Domer West- children. Rev. Franklin will preach renting premises to be used as a house hafer, living five mices portheast of the Sunday night especially to the young city, on Feb. 20.—s daughter.

A NEW INDUSTRY.

Decatur Secures the Spery Cutlery Manu

The negotiations which have been in progress for some menths looking to the location of the plant of the Spery Cutlery Manufacturing Company, of St. Louis, at Decatur, have finally been successful, and the enterprise will start up at once in the old shoe factory building on East Eldorado street. The Decatur gentlemen who have been instru mental in securing this important addition to our industries are W. H. Starr, J. M. Clokey, C. M. Hurst and W. B. Chambers. They have carried on the negotiations in a modest way, with no brass band attachments, and they can point with pardonable pride and satisfaction to the result.

The Spery company will begin work with fifty people. In six months it is ties, including bread, cake and paring knives, meat tenderers, lamp fillers, graters, slaw cutters, can openers, minc ing knives, and so on. All of these specialties are patents of Charles F. Spery, the manager Nickel pluting will also be a feature of the company's work. He has also made all of the machinery for making these utensils. Some of these machines are complicated and built especially for the purpose. The company has spent about \$28,000 for

The company has been selling its pro ducts to big dealers all over the country were: Meedames A. B. Alexander, Will Barnes, Charles Dawson, Ed Denz, Will The business has grown so that it has been evident for, some time that the plant would have to be moved to a place where the rent is cheaper and the man Abbie Durfee, Dot Durfee, Sallie ufacturing business could be carried on Scrugge, Carrie Griswold, Beatrice thought of moving to the suburbs of St. more easily. The company at first Louis or East St. Louis but the fact that it was about to move became known to Lillian Crea, Aldie Ebert and Belle persons outside of the city, and several Among these were Peoria and Mattoon Orange, N. J.; Miss Patti Anderson, of Owens boro, Ky.; Miss Lena Nelson, of Chicago, and Market and Mattoon. inducements held out for the factory to come here have been the city's superior shipping advantages and its supply of

The fact that we had a shoe factory

of charge so that all will have the company carries out the Heuver & an opportunity of seeing the house, and Glidden contract. This, however, is not the cars will probably be crowded all exactly the case. When the shee factory evening. The old transfer house has building became vacant W. H. Starr arbeen bought by Mattes & Sons and they ranged with the trustees of the sub will move it to their new brick yard east scribers to the fund that built it to take the Houver & Glidden contract and take the building. The terms in that contract roughly stated, are the payment of block the butt of an old pole was taken insurance and taxes until July, 1900, out. Upon inquiry it was found to be then if a certain number of men are em

The Spery Manufacturing company will, when it is thoroughly established have about \$40,000 capital invested in its business. It will have a complete plant of special machinery, besides the

Charles F. Spery, secretary and treasurer of the company, which is incorpothe different articles manufactured and most of the machinery used in making late illness and is again attending to The case of William Brust, which was them. M. Jordan, a bauker of Her-

for non-support, but the couple decided only the skilled men that have been in to live together again and the case was its employ. The rest of its force of operators will be engaged in this city. The men coming with the company were The last will of the late W. R. Shrum rangements to move their families here was filed for probate in the county court

Five houses in the vicinity of the factory

man on the road who has made only the Yesterday Gordon and Clint Damrow big cities and sold to the largest whole received a carload of muchinery for the salers. There is a great demand for its soda water bottling works which they goods. Decatur hardware men who are will open at 160 West Main street. They familiar with them say that there are expect to have the work started in a many of them without competition, be ing novelties that Mr. Spery alone has made and that there is no doubt but that they will sell well. The company Ema Park to L. K. Howard, the north and John Lowry, of Lake City, left last has an eastern agency in New York which handles its goods in large quanti half of lot 2, block 2, in H. Robinson's might on their way to Adel, lows, where they will make their home. Their wives L. B. Caemer to Jonah Tohill, lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 15 and 17, in block 2, in Castle and families passed through here to work on one order of 100 gross. It has work on one order of 100 gross. It has orders on its books now that will keep the factory running fully sixty days.

> Revival Services at St. Peter's A. M. E Church.

The revival services are still going on at the A. M. E church with unabated success. Rev. W. T. Franklin, trans-The remains of 'C. R. hiley, who died ferred from the South Arkansas confer ence, is in the city assisting the pastor, Rev. P. C. Cooper. The meetings are growing each night in interest. Chir dren's meeting to morrow afternoon at 2:30. Mothers come and bring your men. All are invited to attend.

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William, Franklin and Park Sts.

expected that they will have at least 100 people employed. The company has been in business in St. Louis for about three years. It makes a list of special-three years, cale and paring

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Myers is on the sick list. Heston Baldwin is on the sick list.

M. A. Jones, of Elwood, Ind., is in the

W. H. Swearingen, of Kenosha, Wis. is in the city.

Mrs. Frank Wells arrived home from Chicago yesterday.

Henry Matthews left last night for Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wells have re-

Thomas Bivans went to Marca this morning on a business trip.

George W. Ehrhart arrived in the city ast night from Pekin on a visit. Miss Helen Spencer, of St. Louis, arrived in the city to day to visit Miss Eve

Albert Barnes has recovered from his business.

Mrs. Frank H. Hall, of Kenosha, Wis., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Swearingen on West North street. Mrs. Charles Schuck, of Springfield,

arrived here to day to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Busher. Rev. J. B. Updike, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., arrived in the city to-day and will lecture at the Tabernacle to-night.

Miss Etta Collier, of Taylorville, who has been visiting in the city, left last night for Storm Lake, Iowa, where she

Mrs. Alma Morgan Kinney left yester day for Forrest, where to night she will The company has had one traveling give a recital under the auspices of the Congregational church.

Hon. Harace S. Clark, of Mattoon, was in the city yesterday for a few hours, and paid the REPUBLICAN a call. He had just arrived from Bloomington.

Rev. John Cook returned to his home in Leroy yesterday. He came here to officiate at a wedding at Sangamon Wednesday night and visited Read Spencer.

Mrs. D. C. Fisher of Ft. Wayne, who has been visiting her eister, Mrs. C. A. Pollock, was joined by her husband Wednesday and they left for Memphis Wednesday night.

Sheriff J. P. Nicholson and Deputy Circuit C'erk J. W. McClelland went to Long Creek this morning to attend the funeral of James Jones, which will take place this afternoon.

J. H. Luker and wife, of Columbus, O., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T Downing. Mr. Luker is a brother in-law of the Sells Brothers, of circus fame, and is one of the managers of the circus For bale-A Big Bargain.

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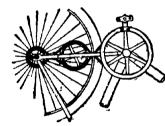
WONDERS IN WHEELS. Queer Pleces of Mechanism Recently Ex-

hibited at Paris. The fact that 1,000,000 new bicycles vill be manufactured this year is apparently beyond dispute. Even the exinto requisition in order to attain perection in the mechanism of all those wheels while at the same time keeping well within the limits of a bicycle's practical utility. The list of new bicycle contrivances is already long, and in sack." fact, too long, but the grand test of This every one of them is applicability to cur-



and were put into operation with great

The most ingenious, perhaps, re-ceived the name of the "cyclet." Its mechanism will be sufficiently obvious from a study of the enclosed diagram. The professed object of the contrivance is to dispense with the chain, but as pelling the cyclist to pedal in a very awkward position. This fact was due largely to structural defects in the biycles to which it was applied. It is slipping out of its place. apparent that it could be readily adaptto machines of any make with tri-



fling alterations. The idea is ingenious and seems destined to be adopted with

A curiosity in bicycle mechanism is the "Funiculaire," as it is called. The idea of the machine will be apparent Detailed explanation is superflous. The nventor was not at first taken serious-

But the grand desideratum of the yclist is a contrivance for the regularegulation has never heretofore been possible to quite the extent desired by ders who frequent country districts that are variable in respect of level. The bicyclist traveling now down a mountain and then upon a plane has sorely lamented this went of inventiveness among machine makers. It must be admitted that great credit is due to the men who have set themselves to the solution of this problem. To a great extent it is solved already. But perfection of detail is conspicuously acking still. Those inventions which attempt to meet the difficulty in a new way are mere modifications of the familiar principle of wheels within



tendency to introduce fine mechanism and delicate wheels into their machines. One of the most remarkable evolutions of late is the Simon folding bicycle. This machine is very solidly constructed and can be easily transconstructed and can be easily transformed into a tandem. It must be very useful to cyclers who do not wish to go to the expense of having two distinct machines. Of course, it is imtinct machines. Of course, it is impossible to give any idea of machinery in words that would be very clear, but the accompanying diagram will convey a correct notion of the basic prin-

Bull Fight on Bleveles The latest thing in Spanish bull fights

well-known cyclist, and Badila, the picador of the Quadrille de Mazzantinı, both entered the arena lately in Madrid mounted on cycles. Rodriguez soon ran away from the bull, but Badila, the picador, stood his ground, and, not beovertaken and both machine and rider tossed high in the air by the infuriated animal. By a miracle the rider was not hurt, but the machine was wrecked beygnd repair.

Wenders of Schmology. Since the beginning of this century no fewer than 52 volcanic islands have risen out of the sea; 19 disappeared,

being submerged, the others remain, and ten are now inhabited.

RACK FOR BICYCLES.

out Injuring Thom The number of bicyclists who travel

by train from ten to a hundred miles into the country before mounting their wheels is slready great and constant-ly increasing. A difficult problem for misen: How to transport these hun dreds of machines without damage and at the same time so arrange them that they will take up as little space as possible in the baggage cars.

One of the cleverest devices of this notion of the inventive talent brought sort is the invention of a Frenchman, M. Joseph Oller, who, curiously enough is a theatrical manager, being the di-actor of the Olympia, the Moulin I ouge and the Jardin de Paris. It may not inaptly be called the "bicycle grip-

This apparatus consists, first, of an iron circle eight or ten feet in diameter. rent uses, and the contrivances here having a sort of track about its outer run, which is fastened to the floor of the car. In the center of this circular piece of iron rises an iron standard, thich is the axis from which radiate ten sets of arms, the upper ones being the length of a bicycle placed on end distant from the lower. The outer ends of the lower arms are fastened to another iron rim the same size as the one upon the floor of the car. Between the two are numerous rollers, which permit it to revolve easily.

Between these two arms, the upper tion. Most of them were on exhibition and the lower, the bicycle is placed on in the great bicycle exposition at Paris, end. The lower arm is, as has been and the lower, the bicycle is placed on said, fixed, but the upper is movable and held in place by a stout spring.
When the bicycle is placed between them the upper arm, the under side of which is concave, presses down firmly upon the tire of the bicycle's front wheel, thus holding the machine firmly in place. A strap is passed around the handle bar and the other end attached to the top of the standard in the center of the circle, thus precenting the possibility of the wheel

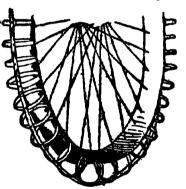
> It is claimed that with this device it is possible to transport bicycles for long distances by rail without the slightest risk of their being injured in any way en route.

The advantage of the movable frame in which the bicycles are placed is that it greatly facilitates the unloading of the wheels. When a station is reached where a bicycle is to be taken the machine to be unloaded is nearest the door. A touch of the hand re leases the trap and spring and the wheel is in the hands of its owner in less than a minute. Every wheelman who has traveled by rail is familiar with the vexatious delays that often occur in unloading the cargo of wheels. -N. Y. World.

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Belligerent Rights or Actual Independence for the Struggling Patriots-Indian and General Pension Appropriation Bills in the House.

Washington, Feb. 20.-For three hours and a' half to-day the senate vas engaged in a debate on the reso lution for the recognition of the bel-EOS (ELIXIR OF SOAP.) ligerent rights of the Cuban insurgents and the alternative resolution for the recognition of Cuban independence. There was a very full attendance of senators and the galleries were filled by an interested and sometimes excited assemblage of men and The debate was opened by Senator

Call (dem., Fla.) and continued by Mr. ried stitute for the concurrent resolution in these words: "That the president is hereby re

ligerency, but one of independence.

He wanted the government to act. The policy which he advocated was, He was followed by Senutors Lodge

the committee on foreign relations. and some of the speeches attracted ap- quite thriving.

plause from the galleries.

Mr. Morgan opened on very conservof other senators, he seemed to give desires and expressed himself in no deals largely in small pets, and es-The Calamet Laundry, Whose Place of favor of taking the most advanced orders for Angoras for exhibition pur-Business is Located at 813 West Madison position. He declared his belief that poses. One man has ordered two, which spain would not release her hold upon war with the United States, than yield it for a price, or lose it through the success of the insurgents

At one point in his specech he exclaimed, passionately, that in a certain raised here, and the kittens are sold event, it was our duty to draw the when quite young, but they are a risky sword, lay it on the table and to say to Spain 'If you want to take it up, take This exclamation, of course, drew

applause from the galleries.

Mr. Morgan was not able to finish his speech, but will continue at the session Monday next, the senate ad-journing at 5 30 o'clock until Saturday, for it necessarily means less years in when the president pro-tom. Mr. Frye. (rep., Me.) is to read Washington's aid. farewell address.

The consideration of the Indian appropriation bill, the principal topic before the house to-day, was marked by two incidents—one of interest, the other of importance.

In the general debate on the measure, Mr. Witson (rep., O.), departing from the text before him, made a speech advocating the passage of a protective tariff bill, in the course of which he had read from the clerk's desk extracts from the speech of Maj. McKinley at the Marquette club dinner in Chicago February 12. Efforts fvo minutes, cover, and stand in a place by the friends of other presidential that is moderately warm for three hours, candidates to head off this advertisement of the Ohio candidate on the floor of the house were unavailing.

reached the paragraph in the bill, Make the dough into loaves, put in providing for the pay of the five Indian greased bread pans, and after covering inspectors, a motion was made to reduce their salaries from \$3,000 to \$2,500. That had been done in the jast two previous bills and the action of the minutes in a quick oven. If large square Indian committee in fixing them at the loaves, baks one hour at a moderate figure named in the statute establish- heat. When crusty bread is liked the ing the office, met objection on both sides of the chamber.

The motion to reduce the salaries and supported by Messrs. Cannon (rep., ill.) and Hemenway (rep., Ind.) members of the appropriation committee; and by Mr. Dingley (rep., Me.), chair-man of the committee on ways and of water. When lukewarm add onemeans. The latter gentleman earnestly appealed to the committee of the whole not to follow the Indian committee in its policy of raising salaries, and was answered by Mr. Crisp (dem., Ga.) who said that the proposition to reduce the salaries of Indian inspectors was as unjustifiable as would be one to reduce the salary of the gentleman from Maine and compel him to accept the reduced salary in lieu of the

The Indian committee's position was supported by Mr. Hopkins (rep., Ill.) and Mr. Sherman (rep., N. Y.), chairman, and the Dockery amendment was defeated—56 to 93. The general pension appropriation

bill was sent to conference on the disagreeing votes of the two houses, and the senate amendments to the diplomatic and consular bill were agreed to. This now goes to the president for

his signature. Mr. Willis (rep., Del.) reported invorably, from the committee on agri-

purchase and distribute seeds in 1893, self. as was done in former years, and saked immediate action. An objection by Mr. Endman (dem., Pa.) sent it to the

The house, at 5:10 p. m., adjourned

SOCIETY'S NEW PETS. Angers Cats Are Very Popular for Milady'i

doir Just Now.

A new fad being an absolute neces-

sity in New York life, and the difficulty being to find enough new ones to "fill the bill," cats have now come in to have Not the old-fashioned, AND ARE BACKED UP BY THE GALLERIES striped, Ishmael-like back fence tigers, with every man's hand against them, or the quiet, purring, gray creatures of the hearth of our youth. The fashionable ones are the Angora cats, and the finer and the higher the price, of course, the better milady likes them.

The fanciers have sold more than ever before this season, and prices have va-



from \$10 for a small kitten of Cameron (rep., Pu.), who offered a sub- doubtful points to \$40 or \$50 for the prize-winning beauties of catdom.

not new; they have been known to quested to interpose his friendly of fame for centuries. But the present fad fices with the Spanish government for for them is quite new, and no one need the recognition of the independence of the surprised on entering a fashionable woman's boudoir to see a ball of fluffv In a written speech he declared that cotton on the floor, which, on investithe question was no longer one of bel-gation, will resolve itself into a longhaired and long-tailed Angora. They are not all white; in fact, they

are to be had in all the colors and stripes he asserted, the policy of the repub- of ordinary cuts. The white ones are lican party and of the American peo- | the most valuable, and the beautifu cray and white come next. Long hair beautiful eyes, and the fine bushy tails, (rep., Mass.) and Morgan (dem., Ala.). which sometimes grow to an astonish ing size, are the principal character-Mr. Morgan was the author of the concurrent resolution and reported it from istics of these fashionable pets. At the Exclange for Woman's Work they have Each speech, in succession, seemed received several requests to hunt up to outstrip the other in patriotic fer- well-conducted and pedigreed Angoras, vor and in devotion to the Cuban cause; and the new industry seems to be The cats are very clever. Many of

them are used in trick animal troupes, ative lines; but, as he progressed, and and a great deal can be taught them. as he was drawn out by the inquiries As in the matter of pets, here again the white ones are the favorites, being more free scope to his real convictions and effective on the stage. A funcier who doubtful or hesitating language in pecually cats, says he has now several are now on their way from Paris, and the throat of Cuba and that she would if they, too, prove a success, six more rather lose the island as the result of will be imported for the same pur-The principal places from which the

cats come are London, Paris and different parts of Germany. Many are purchase, being rather difficult to raise. The hair grows longer with time, sometimes growing quite bushy on a cat which lives to a revered old age, 12 ears or a little more being the length of life allotted these little pets. But to choose one's favorite for the length and which to enfoy its society.-N. Y. Her-

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD.

A Recipe That Has Seen Tried and Not Found Wanting.

A tested recipe for whole wheat bread, which we are glad to note is becoming a part of the diet of every well-nourished family, consists of one pint of boiling water poured into a pint of milk. Cool the liquid and when luke-warm add one cake of compressed yeast dissolved in half a cupful of warm water. Add a teaspoonful of salt and enough whole wheat to make a batter that will drop easily from a spoon. Beat thoroughly should then be added gradually. When stiff, knead on your board until the When the committee of the whole mass is soft and elastic, but not sticky. stand aside one hour. The time for baking will depend on the size of the lonves. If long French loaves, bake 30 dough may be in sticks and baked in pans m.de for that special purpose. Another ested recipe that requires less was made by Mr. Dockery (dem., Mo.) handling and that is used by Miss Johnson is made in the following way: Scald one cupful of milk, add a teaspoonful of butter, the same quantity of salt, a half a yeast cake and enough wheat flour to make a thin batter. This should be done in the morning, as the bread rises quickly. After making a smooth batter let it rise until very light. Add whole wheat gradually and beating continuously until as much has been added as you can stir conveniently. If the flour is not added gradually and well mixed the bread will be coarsegrained. Turn into greased tins, and then light bake one hour on a moderate oven .- N. Y. Evening Post.

Woman Justice of the Peace The new woman has arrived in force in Rockland, Me. The town has a woman justice of the peace, a woman court ste-nographer, three women who have made an iron-clad agreement to wear bloomers, date, however, left blank, and a woman who successfully opposed noman suffrage in public debate a few venings ago. The argument of the last woman was that if a woman is not smart enough to control a man's vote culture, the senate joint resolution di- under the present suffrage scheme, she recting the secretary of agriculture to | isn't smart enough to have a vote her

DISHES FOR INVALIDS

Milk Soup,-Scald a quart of milk an hour in a pitcher set in hot water, add a little salt, and stir in quickly the wellbeaten yolks of two eggs.

Codfish Gruel.-Freshen a tablespoon ful of finely shredded codfish. Thicken a teacupful of boiling water with a teapoonful of sifted flour. Cook the codfish in this three to five minutes. Scason with a little sweet cream and serve with a toasted soda cracker. Cracker Panada.—Pour over crackers

mough water to parely cover. Boil two minutes, pour off the surplus water, add hot thin cream or rich milk, and sweeten with powdered sugar.

Sippets.—Toast thin slices of brown bread and pour over them hot meat gravy slightly thickened with corn

Beef Sandwiches .- - Chop fresh lean beef very fine, season with salt and pepper, and spread a thin layer between delicate slices of brown or white but-tered bread.—Orange Judd Farmer.

SHORT BUT INTERESTING.

Rice is said to be the staple food of learly one-half of the human race.

The mail services of the world are nearly all maintained by British built Edwin Streeter, the well-known ex-

pert, says there is one red diamond in existence-and only one. It is valued The first number of the Connecticut Courant, printed at Hartford in 1764,

predicts the overthrow of Spain's power

on this side of the Atlantic. A lady of Nova Scotia, writing to the Boston Transcript, says the Americans who visit Nova Scotia are almost withcut exception pleasant and well-man-

About the Eye.

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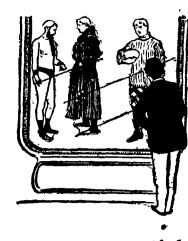
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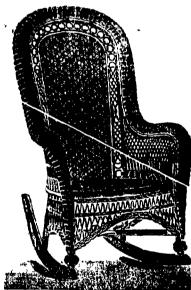
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cutton.
This 18th day of February, A. D. 1896.
J. P. NICHOLSON,
Feb 15-dtd Sheriff Macon County, Illinois

Administrator's Notice

Estate of Mary Kratner, deceased. Estate of Mary Kramer, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary Kramer, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, herr by gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons inverse claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons invelted and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons invelted in said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of February, 1896.

ROBERT A. KRAMER, febis day

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The famous collection of coins which the late Mr. William Bayne spent 60 years in getting together is to be sold at auction in London.

An expedition under Prof. Sollas will leave Sydney soon for the South Sea islands to make deep borings in coral

An English dealer in stamps has laid away 100 81/2 pence Nova Scotia stamps in a safe deposit vault, not to be opened for three years. Then he expects to reap a reward of perhaps 1,000 per cent. on his original investment of \$15. This beats gold mining.

Victor Robert, of Paris, has paid \$30. MO for the collection of postage stamps -all new-of Count Primoli, Princess Mathilde's nephew. The stamps were valued one by one: Moldavia's, \$1,600, Reunions, \$1,000; Tu-cany, three lire, \$600, and so on. M. Robert is a famous "timbrophile."

A two-shilling stamp of the 1885 type, printed in light emerald-green, on white paper, watermark "V & Crown, was issued in Victoria on August 12 and withdrawn on the 20th of the same month, owing to its color being so much like the current nine pence as to cause nistakes.

The Transvaal republic is about to isveacommemorative penny stamp. It is ant steed what the stamp is to commemcrate, but as the issue is to be limited to one year, it is quite certain that the republic can rely on the sale of several millions to the dealers, quite irrespective of what may be sold for postal pur-

BOOKWRITERS AND BOOKS.

Mark Twain writes to a friend in llartford that he went away in debt and will come back in a first cabin.

Ruskin is very fond of gems and smally carries a number of diamonds loose in his pockets.

- Edward W. Townsend, author of

"Chimmie Fadden," has been giving readings from his books at San Fran-Paul Bourget is to be sent to Japan

for impressions of travel by the Revue acs Deux Mondes, and Pierre Loti to Persia and India.

Princess Helena of England (Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein) is writing a book of etiquette for women in good society.

Miss Balfour says in her book that she saw in Dr. Jameson the hardest working man in South Africa, a firm native race.

William Morris says the poet laureateship of England is a mere court office. a business affair, and that it was only by accident that it happened to be held by two great poets.

The late Paul Verlaine, the French poet, lived as a social outcast, but his funeral was attended by distinguished men of letters, including many academicians. Francois Coppee spoke at the grave and said that Verlaine had won immortality in letters

BITS AND BREVITIES.

In A. D. 334 the broeches makers were expelled from Rome, and all persons were ordered to discontinue wearing

During the reign of Charles I. of England, every body wore boots and spurs, whether he ever mounted a horse or

A naturalist, who sewed bits of red silk to swallows caught in England, identified one of the same birds in the neighborhood of the Pyramids.

Prof. Hebra, of Vienna, asserts that the sun does not produce ireckles. They never appear, he says, in children un der the age of six or eight years, whether exposed to the sun or not

It is said that the ameer of Afghan istan has been devoting considerable study to the subject of electricity, and has determined to personally superintend the introduction of the electric lighting system into Cabul.

John Alden's house at Duxbury, Mass., which was built in 1650, and in which he lived during the latter part of his life, is now occupied by the ninth John Alden in direct descent from the famous magastrate of Plymouth colony

The quiet but beautiful town of Oxord, in Worcester county, Mass., claims the honor of having produced three persons now prominent in public view, namely, Secretary Olney, Miss Clara Barton and Senator Wolcott, whose mother was a native of that town.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Last year the mines of Alaska yielded \$3,000,000 in gold.

The average life of a tortoise is from 100 to 150 years. Some have been known to live 250 years. Birds which construct hanging nests

carefully select limbs or twigs which are thoroughly secure. Over 130,000 canaries are sent every ear to the United States and Canada,

trom the Hartz mountains, Prussia. A wonderful well exists in Olympia. Washington. The bottom is gradual y ascending, and is likely to soon reach the surface of the earth.

A lady in Covington, Ky., makes a living by managing a cat farm. Only Angora cats are raised, and the price of these is about \$25 each.

The rattle of machinery on English warships prevents the satisfactory working of speaking-tubes, so they are to be equipped with telephones.

At the Stadt theater in Leipsic no person is permitted to go to his seat after the performance has begun, unless during the intermissions between the acts.

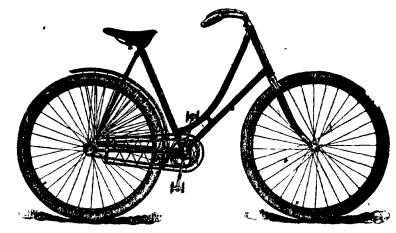
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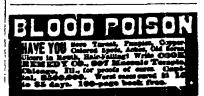
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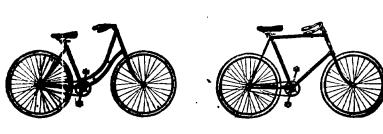


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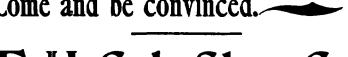
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We are going to close out about One Hundred Good Winter Cloaks this week at cott music house. They are the best to half USUAL retail price.

Lot of Cloaks worth \$1800, at	\$ 9.00
Lot of Cloaks worth 15.00, at	7.50
Lot of Cloaks worth 10.00, at	5.00
Lot of Children's Cloaks worth 8.00, at	4.00
Lot of Children's Cloaks worth 6.00, at	3.00
Lot of Fur Capes worth 25.00, at	12.50
Lot of Fur Capes worth 15.00, at	7.5 0

It will pay you to buy a garment for next winter.



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Daily Republican

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our Cough Syrup; it stops the cough, and cures the cold, very pleasant to take and guaranteed to help

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FRIDAY, FEB. 21, 1896.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

WE are authorized to announce ALBERT S. foligan as a candidate for the office of Town-hip Folicetor, subject to the action of the Re-ublican Convention.

WE are authorized to announce S. T. KKELEB as a candidate for Township Assessor, subject to the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce ARTHUR F EVANS as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

O.O. F.—All members of Progress Lodge, No. 141, D. of R... are requested to meet at he hall, corn-r of William and Main streets, at 7:30 p. m., this (Friday) evening, Mrs. Louiz Seeforth, N. G. Alpha Tuttle, Sec.

The Columbia is the standard [I. O. G. T.—Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge of P. No. 364, this (Friday) evening at 7 o'clock, Sharp, in R. of P. hall, Library block, North and Main Mr. Installation of officers. Emma Weigand, G. T. Throdore Coleman, Secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN—Regular meeting of M. Easterly Camp. No. 1626 M. W. A., this (Friday) evening at 7:39 o'clock in the K. of I'. hati, Opera House block.

LOCAL NEWS.

ICE cream soda at Irwin's. Denz, Tallor, 117 North Water St.

Burks' White Pine Balsam for colds. You pay a little more for Sleeth's

Altend the assignee's sale of dry goods at Anstead's.

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. Auction sale of dry goods at Anstead's

DR. L. E. COONRADT, Dentist, rooms 42 and 43, Fenton block. aug 24-dti JOHNNY WEIGAND still makes the mch25-dtf Leda 10 cent cigar. SLEETH is the only photographer in

the city who guarantees satisfaction. Auction sale of dry goods at Anstead's

EVERYTHING at popular prices at the Opera House pharmacy.

A MAQUERADE ball will be given by Mike Ryan Tuesday night at Sedgwick

Just before going to bed, eat a Cascaet candy cathartic. Makes you feel

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. J. M. Myers, manufacturer of Rubber

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Johany Weigand, are the best in

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Mama eats a Cascaret, baby gets the benefit. Cascarets make mother's milk

Auction sale of dry goods at Anstead's

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR. The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth.

LEAVe your prescriptions at the Opera Iouse Drug Store, and they will be eady before the opera is over.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

IT will do you good to smoke the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars, made by

In the county court Albert E. Park, a aw student, has been granted a certifi devote his life to the practice of law.

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOURS The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth Examine those Haines upright and Reed & Son's pianos at the C. B. Pres.

be had and will not fail to please you. To-DAY Attorney and Mrs. C. C. Le forgee are moving their household effects into their new home, at the corner of West Macon and South Union the following program was given:

JOSEPH BERRY has filed his bond of 8450 as administrator of the estate of Vocal Solo..... his eister, the late Mrs. Iris Hubert. George W. Berry and W. M. Berry are the sureties.

Prize Fight News.

The latest news about the Fitzsim mone-Ma' er prize fight will be received at Wilson & Rawley's saloon, fresh from special wire, up to 11 o'clock to night. Bulletine all the time.

MARRIED.

By Judge Hammer at his office, February 20, esse Cook and Miss Elia Vanquinsh, of Decatur. At his office on Feb. 20, by Judge Hammer. rederick M. Queck and Amelia Butzein, of

H. C. Suttle, of Kenney, recently bought land in lows, for which he paid will also be elected.

FRED SIMPSON'S FUNERAL.

t Will Be Held Sunday at 2:30 P.

The remains of the late Fred Simpson, who came to his death suddenly in the Westminster hotel at Los Angeles, Cal. arrived in Decatur to day at noon, and were removed to the home of his parents Alderman and Mrs. George Simpson, 367 West Main street. The body left Los Angeles by express last Monday evening, and was about 90 hours on the way. With the body came the valise, trunk and all personal belongings of the deceased.

There was no letter or note of expla nation in the valise or trunk. It was thought possibly that Fred, if he took the morphine with suicidal intent, would have made some sort of a statement, but there was no note or scrap of writing found. The morphine was manifestly taken by mistake, an overdose for relief of pain which produced death.

The funeral will take place from the family residence Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Dr. Penhallegon, of the Presbyterian church, will officiate.

DUNN MUST PAY UP.

Important Decision as to Secret Societ Dues in Court.

A few days ago in the circuit court vas tried the case of the St. Patrick's Branch of the Catholic Knights of America, this city, against James A Dunn, a member of the branch, who had refused to pay his dues amounting to nearly \$25. Judge Vail heard th evidence and reserved his decision.

This forenoon at the opening of court Judge Vail decided that Mr. Dunn, under the rules and regulations of the ociety, was indebted to the institution to the amount of \$24.75, and he entered judgment against him for that amount The defence took an appeal.

Walter is Not Hoo Dooed.

A morning paper throws the shadow of the Hoo Doo over Walter Hutchin, in a reference made to the accidental breakng of a plate front glass in his new store just as the artist had finished painting the name of Walter Hutchin, which contains IC letters, at a cost of \$13, on the glase. Historically this is correct, but, theoretically, it is no good. Walter is neither a Hoo Doo nor is he at all likely to be hoo dooed by the shivering of a French plate gless, though it might be school sang "America" and Marching traversed by just 13 cracks. While he Through Goorgia," accompanied by the is not responsible for the fact that his name embraces 13 letters, and it has also been said there is nothing in a name neither the hoo doo feature nor the maxim apply in the name "Walter Hutchin." There is a great deal in the country with its fertile plain it was to name. It was the name, as a whole, offer it for the best development of manthat broke the glass, not the number of kind. He took a handful of the best letters. That name is a household word seed of Europe and planted it at -a word of power which draws like a Plymouth Rock, and from that sticking plaster or a shoestring. That grew this nation. name contracts the price of shoes and h to the nation liberty. If we study contracted the glass and shivered it his character we find traits which Every letter was painted before are worthy of being copied by the glass gave way. It was the im the young men of to day. I cannot nortal "N" the last letter that did it. take the time to tell you the story of It removed the pressure without the Washington's life but I expect that you prefix "J." Arranged alphabetically know it better than I do; yet I will let there are 11 letters in the name and ending with "W" the letters in the name skip just 12 letters of the alphabet. his patriotic spirit in mine. You are Thus arranged the name starts out A familiar with his experience at Valley Stamps, 301 S. Church St., Decatur, Ill. C. E. H., which being interpreted means | Forge. His army was half starved and "ace high." The \$13 had nothing to do only partly clothed, and were trying to with the breaking of the glass. The shelter themselves against the winter. only crack produced by that was in Wal ter's poor heart. No, there is noth-

ng in the Hoo Doo feature of this affair. Bolling Water to Destroy Disease Germa It is generally believed that the most impure water can be rendered pure by It seems to me that Washington was the solute safeguard against the dangers of His military contents of His mi boiling, and that in this we have an ab water containing these germs. Now, while it is true that boiling water will kill the germs of disease, yet the fact Grant had inexhaustible resources and has been brought to our notice by so high an authority as Dr. Charles M. Cresson, that, while boiling kills the germs of a particular disease, it yet in which was on the verge of rebellion. He reality renders the water more impure than it was before, because by the very death of these germs dead organic matter is allowed to remain in the water, which it pollutes by putrefaction. Hence while boiling is a most excellent precaucate of good moral character. He will tion against the occurrence of typhoid fever or similar diseases, when we have occasion to think the germs of these diseases exist in water that we drink, yet we must remember that this boiling does not purify the water; it simply removes from it the specific power to produce a specific disease.

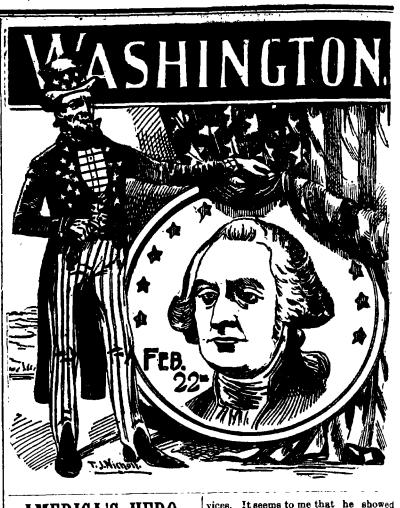
High School News.

At the regular meeting of the Sapphonian Literary Society held this afternoon

Piano Bolo.... Original Story......Marie Jenisou ...Emma Beane Vocal Solo Bianche Alexander
Reading—Washington Mary Tolladay Reading—Washington as a Civilian....

The following program will be given at the Alpha Beta meeting to-night: Reading...... Herbert Whiting Talk ... Alian Gleason Optional ... Raiph Mills Query Box Albert Alishouse

sived, That the Telegraph System should be controlled by the government. Affirmative, Frank Collins and Daniel Housum; negative, August Meyers and Roy Johnson.



AMERICA'S HERO.

Washington at the High School.

PATRIOTIC ADDRESS BY REV. HOBBS your manhood to gain a dollar.

Admiration for the Father of His Country-Good Points for Young People-Poem by Mrs. V.

G. Hatch.

Exercises celebrating Washington's birthday were held at the High School this morning. The members of the junior and senior classes gathered in the assembly room at 9 o'clock. The High School orchestra. Prof. Shepherd when it was over he surrendered his ntroduced Rev. K G. Hobbs, who ad dressed the students. He spoke substantially as follows:

"When God spread out this vast

none go beyond me in the admiration of his character or in the effort to copy Washington's enemies were trying to overthrow him and said that he was inhis army in a winter campaign. But he knew better than to take them out in the condition they were in. order. Some of you may point to a school was singing the patriotic songs later hero, Grant, as being greater. But this morning that you kept time with he knew that if one army was wiped out ers of this country could cause you another was ready. Washington on the young men and women to catch step other hand had a half starved army had an empty tressury behind him, and yet he held on in seven years of war. He was compelled to retreat when he which was written by Mrs. V. G. Hatch. wanted to fight. His great military genius is shown in the fact that he prevented his army from being completely de- and recitations was carried out. stroyed. Every time the opportunity offered he struck a terrible blow at his enemy, which finally broke down the spirit of the English and compelled the soldiers of the mother country to cry that they had enough. And his enemies were no holiday soldiers. They were the same brave men who stood at Waterloo and against whom Napoleon burled his army and his empire, and lost both. English soldiers are brave men and it was English soldiers that

"We have no better view of Washing. ton's life than that given by La Fayette, the brave Frenchman who came over here to cast his fortune with this counington would accept no pay for his ser- served at advance sale.

Washington defeated

his greatness of character in this fact and especially so when to day most men serve their country for their own good. If there is one thing that threatens this country it is the greed for gold. The worst temptation that will be thrown in the lives of you young men is to dwarf "The one great lesson of Washington's

life is the lesson of patriotism. If the

nation is to be preserved it will be by such patriotism as Washington had. When the war was over Washington gave his greatest exhibition of patriotism. If he wished he could have been dictator. If he had had the same spirit as Caesar and Napoleon he would have assumed the imperial purple. But he was too great for that for he had wrought out the liberty of his own country for his country's sake. He was a soldier because war was an awful necessity and eword to the civil authorities, and became a humble citizen of the nation. He was not seeking personal glory or gain. Fortunately for this country he was not allowed to stay on his farm, but was called to the highest position the country could offer. If there is a history on illustrious epoch, an immortal page, it was because it was made possible by the example set by Washington. It is not broader domains, vaster armies nor more war vessels that make a nation mightier but men of integrity and character. If in time to come we have men as devoted as Washington there will be no possibility of the nation being overthrown. Everywhere to day the demand is for men who cannot be bribed, who have patriotic hearts, who will brand the boodler and who will not get down and crawl in the mud to get votes for a public office. Young men there was never a finer field in the world for the development of manhood and character in public and private life than there is to-day. There is a demand for such men as Washing ton. It is a shame that because a man is identified with clean things it is a detriment to him in public life.

"Lincoln and Washington did not do everything. They have left much that you should do. I noticed when the your feet. If the teachers and preachwith some of these patriotic songs the future of the country would be safe."

After the address Prof. Shepherd read poem on the subject of Washington At Other School

In the principal's room at the Jackson etreet school a special program of music The pupils at the H. B. Durfee school

studied a review of the life of Washing ton for the lesson to-day. In several of the rooms at the Wood

street school the pupils gave readings pertaining to Washington's life.

Special exercises in which the children took part were held this morning in the different rooms at Sangamon street school

The Flints at the Grand. The Flints gave satisfaction and made many friends when they played asuccess ful engagement here in May last. The management of the opera house has secured them for their first popular Extemporaneous Speeches by several of the enemies were seeking to outlaw him to the time to three nights. commencing was destined to be loved by all. Washington or the time to three nights, commencing Monday next. One lady will be admired to be loved by all. Washington could be seen to be loved by all. Washington could be seen to be loved by all.

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Fitzenmons, Refuses to F

"Pompadour Jim."

HE ALSO RENOUNCES THE B

Maher Knocked Out in One Round-Journey to the Battleground--De tails of the Fight which Took Place on Mexican Soil.

EL Paso, Feb. 22. Speaking of bett's challenge to Fitzsimmon said to the Associated Press this ing: "I shall completely ignore that low. It was a thousand dollars of A ican money to one cent of Mexican'Pompadour Jim' would get in his
just as he has. I shall use about
same argument he once employed
Charley Mitchell—tell him to go
whip Peter Maher and Joe Choyr
he owner he owner his hard to me." I before he opens his head to me." want to fight him, and I think e can lick him. This much I shall i on, and he must first win from Maher Choyarki before he gets into the with me. I am asked to come to Well, did you ever see such nerve suppose he will want me to post a feit of fifty thousand dollars in hands of his own stakeholder, and him to select the battleground and eree, the size of gloves, rules and rest. He never wanted to fight whipped with ease the man to w order to escape a match with him. show Corbett how little weight championship at present is carryin now formally through the Associa Press renounce all claims to the belt refuse to accept it. After comple the contracts made conditionally winning from Maher, I sail for Englar as he drove directly to the grounds the Central Hotel. Maher got off same train and walked to his room

l'itz Gets His Money. The train arrived at 9 a. m. the first things Fitzsimmons and Ju Bank, but they found it closed, be Washington's birthday. The be officers were found and they turned to Fitzsimmons nine thousand doll in currency and one thousand dollars

Will Challenge Fitz Again. Maher's backers are going to challe Fitzsimmons for another battle for thousand dollars a side.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Corbett we shown the dispatch from Fitzsimm refusing to fight him said: "He's a I will leave it to the public judge whether I am correct or not he goes to England he's find me in gland after him.'

Story of Maher's Defeat.

LANGTRY, Tex., Feb. 21 .-- It to Robert Fitzsimmons just 90 seco this afternoon to defeat Peter Ma of the world. The fight took place bottoms of the Rio Grande river on Mexican side, a mile and a half dist from the Langtry depot. Even to friends it was evident that the Ir lad was not in it from the start. Bef the round had progressed 30 secon Maher attempted a foul and was he edly warned by the referce. Fitzs mons coup was in the form of one his famous upper books with which knocked out Hall and broke the n

of Jack Stelzener, his trainer. Maher made a gallant effort to upon his feet when time was cal but after getting half way to a re bent position he fell back and still his head on the floor when time called and the decision was awar

to the Cornishman. When the train of sports arrive from El Paso at 2:30 there was no dence that anything unusual about to occur. The excursion from Engle Pass and other points been belated and only some 50 r dents of the country about had go ered at the depot. One company the Texas rangers guarded the de while the remainder went down to bottoms on the Texas side, but the slightest effort was made to in fere with the sports in any of t movements.

When the word to move had b given, the visitors speedily found although they had been on the r for 16 hours and journeyed 400 mi the hardest part of the entertainm was yet to come. Following the gu in straggling procession they w across the prairie for a distance or yards, and then commenced a pre itous descent of a seldom used wa road that went in a circuitous down to the Rio Grande. Over rocks and boulders, now

ping on their rear anatomies, clutching at a bramble to save th selves from a fall, and now stub! their toes against huge cobblesto or in cavities of the rocks, the sp toiled in double and single file the bank of the river was reac Then there was a tramp of five dred yard or more through sand mud full ankle deep to the point w the 75-foot pontoon bridge had stretched across the Rio Grande r which, swollen by recent rains. been changed from a sluggish str to a raging torrent.

Once across, the sports were on bottoms of the Mexican side, and canvas enclosure that contained ring was seen in the distance. minutes more brought the persp and sorefooted pedestrians to the

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